

JUST the RIGHT HEIGHT!

"SHE'S just the right height. . . ." That was the tail end of a conversation I overheard the other day, and I wondered what, in the opinion of the speaker, was the "right height" for a 20th-century Lovely.

I became so intrigued with the question that I decided to get opinions on it from five different people who ought to know.

VICTOR STIEBEL, famous dress designer, chose 5ft. 9in. as his ideal height, and gave as his reason the fact that clothes—particularly evening gowns—are shown off to the best advantage when there is a long sweep from waistline to hem. "Frocks worn by a woman of this height," he went on, "immediately take on an air of elegance and distinction."

"At the same time, when I design clothes for my own amusement and pleasure, I choose for my model a girl of 5ft., for on her I feel I can often get the best effect of all."

C. B. COCHRAN, famous producer, says 5ft. 8in. is his ideal—Gertrude Lawrence's height, incidentally. The 5ft. 8in. girl must have slim ankles and slim feet, though her figure needn't be too svelte.

But small and frail ones take heart, for after this I saw Ivor Novello, who doesn't mind us as little as 5ft. 2in., and he doesn't like us taller than 5ft. 7in.

"Proportion is all that really matters," he said; "and if a girl is perfectly formed, then she is always the right height." So now we should all feel on the crest of the wave.

DILKUSHA, Princess de Rohan in private life, thinks 5ft. 7in. ideal. As she is not very tall, I thought this noble of her.

I clung to Ivor Novello's remark about proportion, and I thought to myself how few of us there are who have a sense of proportion. For whatever height we are between 5ft 2in. and 5ft. 9in.—and any of these, it seems, are ideal, depending on whether you most admire mannequins or stage stars—we must still think before we dress and, in some cases, slim before we dress.

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HONGKONG SOCIETY FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN



BAROQUE, famous London dress designer, says "5ft. 10in. with shoes, please, not too slim. . . ." This means approximately 5ft. 8in. without shoes, so you will see that most dress designers are agreed that a model's height should be average or above. Brunette models are, according to Baroque, taking the place of blondes. In fact, he says he "hasn't a blonde in the place."

THIS beautiful evening gown, worn by one of Baroque's lovely 5ft. 10in. brunettes, is made of bright lilac and silver lamé. The trailing skirt is split in the centre front and edged with fur.

This mother, contrary to all maternal instincts, asserts . . .

"I don't like my daughter"

I USED to make excuses about it. Parenthood is not instinctive. Children mean a thousand readjustments. Maternal feeling needs cultivation. Children do grow nicer, Sally would.

Now I'm facing facts. I looked forward to Sally. Now she is here, I don't like her. I have tried hard, because I know how it feels to be a disliked child.

"One of the Boys"

MY own mother disliked me. She wanted a son for her first-born. She got me. In her generation it was improper and unnatural to admit such feelings. I knew that her excellent treatment of me was a duty.

For seventeen years I strove to be a good son to her. I was "one of the boys" in jhody and jersey. In my innermost soul I yearned for the caress in her voice, for chiffon frocks and flowers in my hat.

Best of Friends

AT eighteen I walked out and unmarried in order to mother and child, but it is there.

escape and become a woman. I was twenty-eight before my mother decided that a daughter is not such a bad thing to have.

We are the best of friends now. We do not love each other, but our relationship is pleasant, detached and affectionate. It might have been like that twenty years ago.

Case History

MENTAL dishonesty is a worse crime than physical cruelty. It took me some time to find that out. Memory and the experience of my childhood helped. Sally gave me a few hints herself. I have stopped saying "ought" to love.

Here is the case history of my heart. Sally stands between me and the things I want to do. Between me and opportunities to show that I am an intelligent professional woman and not just "another mother."

Sally is Slow

OTHER people like Sally. Her father adores her. I am jealous about this. It is an unpleasant emotion between a mother and child, but it is there.

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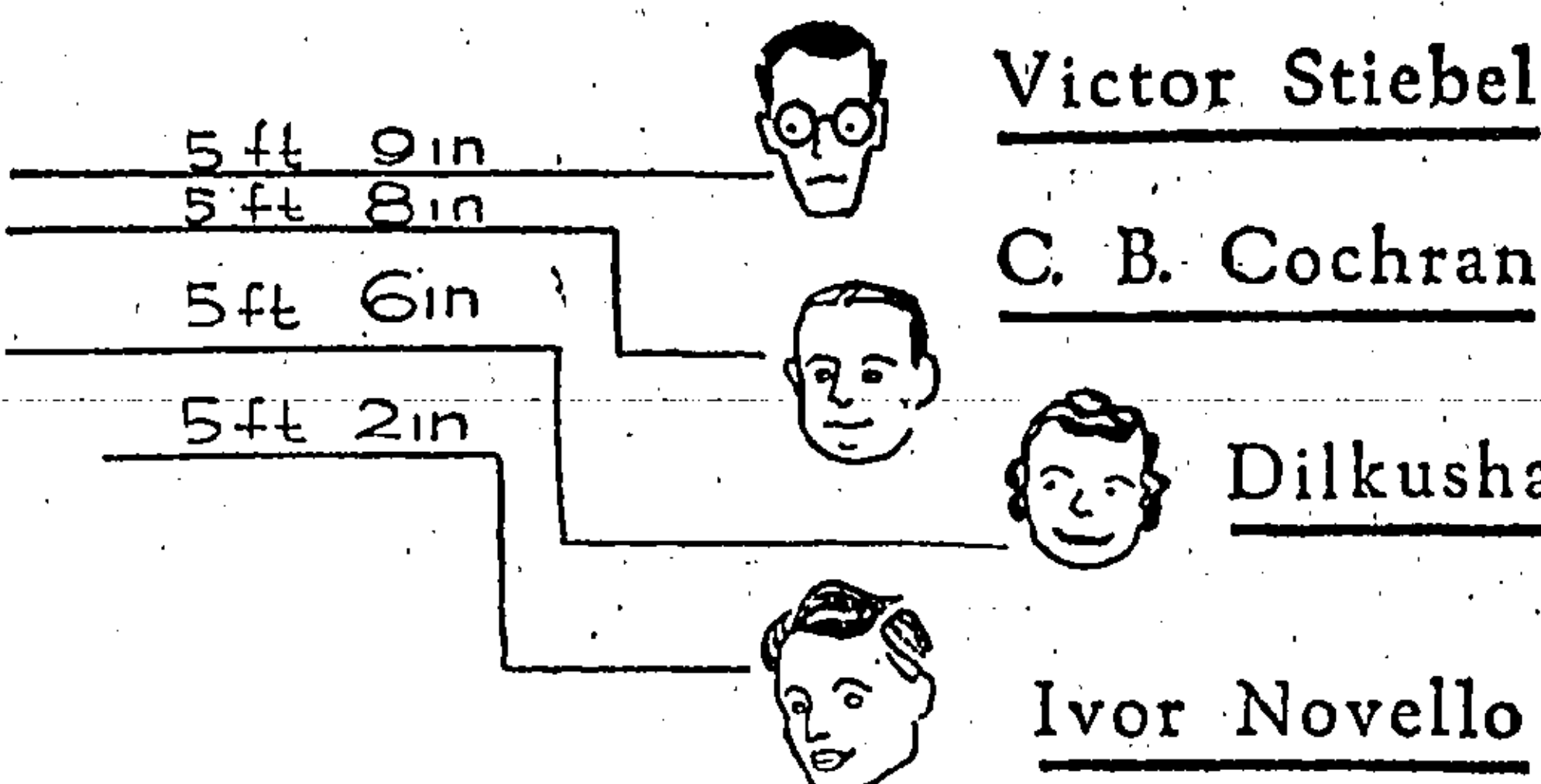
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Odd-Minute Exercises

AS the winter wears on, many women realise that they are taking insufficient exercise. It is unwise to attempt counter-acting this lack by a burst of strenuous activity. All that is needed is a little extra exercise fitted in very often during the day's routine.

"Many a mickle makes a muckle" applies to movements as much as to anything else. Stretching and twisting in every direction before getting out of bed can begin the suppleness campaign which may be carried on by turning and bending as much as possible during the dressing process.

Cats are models of nimble grace, and they always stretch themselves after sleep.

Head Stretching

If you watch six women walk along the street you will notice that at least four of them seem to be moving only from the knees. Instead of sinking down into your shoes, stretch the back of your head upwards until you feel like a piece of elastic trying to escape from the pavement.

It takes no longer to walk in this way and almost every muscle in the body is thereby exercised. Americans (whose carriage is often better than ours) sometimes give the advice, "stand tall."

"Walk very tall" should be our motto. Summer often finds us with knees which have stiffened up during the winter. The easiest way of keeping them supple is to lie down, occasionally, and draw both knees up to the chest. After this, raise each foot off the ground, alternately, letting it drop of its own accord.

Most of us realise the value of deep breathing exercises, but dislike doing them. If a habit is formed of taking six deep breathes every time one goes out of doors, shallow breathing will become less frequent.

To Remedy Bad Circulation

Bad circulation of the blood may be caused by too great an economy of small movements over a long succession of days. Gentle exercise is more satisfactory than violent because it is followed by no reaction.

An hour's walk twice a day is better for most people than two hours at a stretch. Sedentary workers may have time for neither, but it is astonishing how many odd minutes during the day can be given to twisting, stretching, and turning by anyone who is determined to be supple.

Some of us mean to start a morning daily dozen "soon"—stretch and turn at odd moments until that time arrives.

Temperamentally our haloes do not of children is a far greater advantage. Sally is patient and rather slow. On the other hand, I may not be so "irritable intelligence." Sally good at the work as I think I am. I have what my husband kindly calls an "irritable intelligence." Sally must do. So far One way or another work should solve this problem for me.

She Knows

A Career THEN there is Sally herself. The child is intelligent and balanced. I believe, in a quiet, unspectacular way, she accepts me and my attitude towards her. She certainly knows. Children always do. In the fairy tales the good fairy's life is filled with rich sent. I shall be able to give Sally rewards. Sally will grow up not because of her mother . . . but in now.

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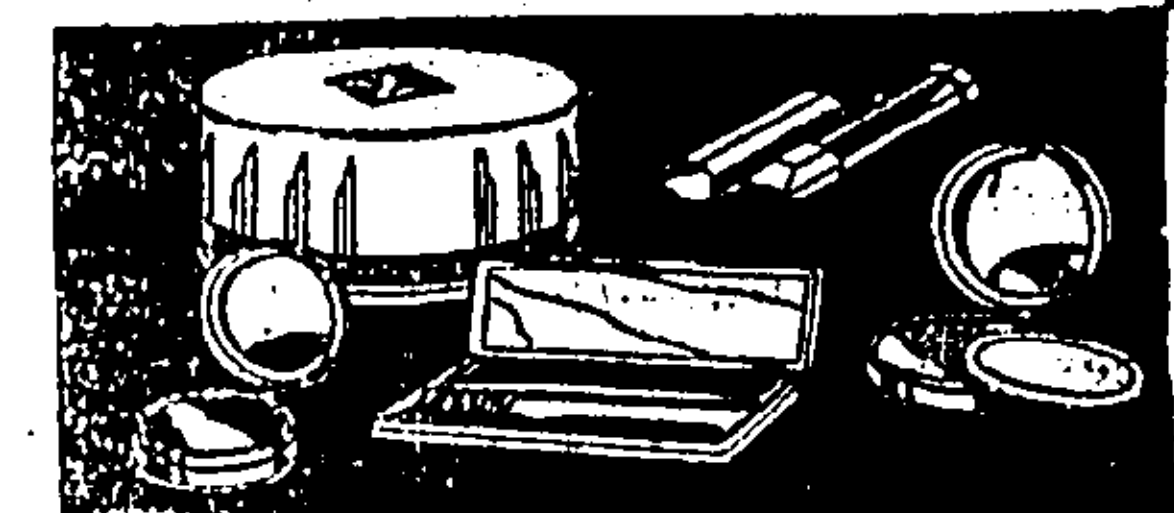
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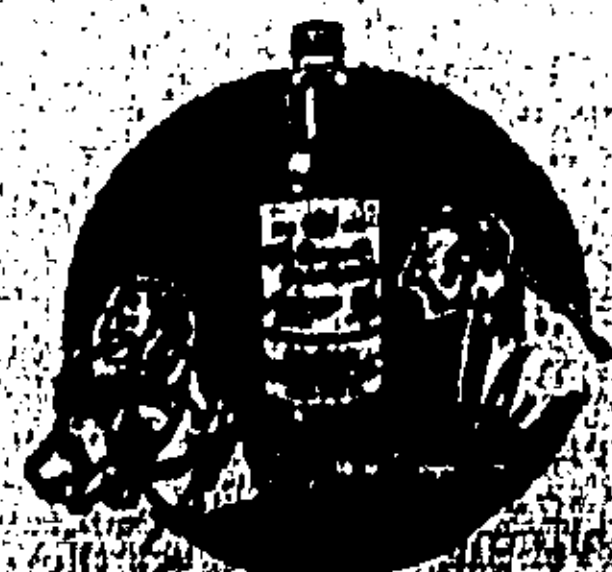
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SAYS KING OF HOBOES

Mr. Jeff Davis, King of the Hoboes, has gone all the way from New York to London to further the cause of the International Itinerant Migratory Workers' Union—otherwise America's hoboes.

Hoboes in films usually look like tramps and take free rides underneath freight trains. But, says Mr. Davis, the hobo really is not a tramp.

"Hoboes," he told the *News Chronicle*, "are people who either have the wanderlust born in them or thrust upon them. They work to live, and the original hoboes were surely the tinkers of England in Queen Elizabeth's time.

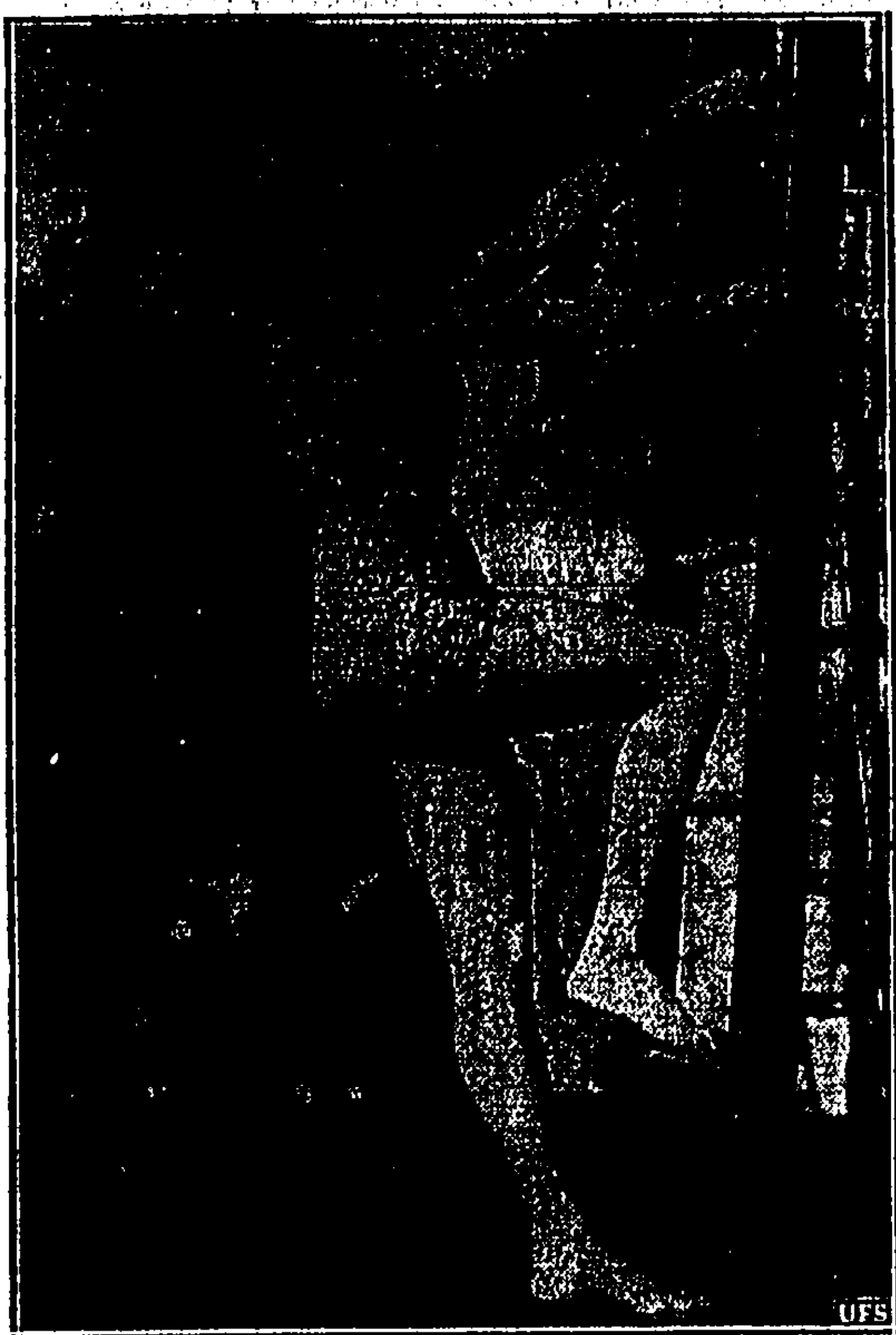
"They travelled from place to place doing their job, and they differed in that way from the old tramp and vagabond. Our members include five Senators and seven Congressmen, while Charlie Chaplin was one of the recruits when we started in 1908."

Mr. Davis is anxious to get in touch with Mr. Arthur Hayday, M.P., who is a "Supreme Knight of the Hoboes of America."

"We met some years ago," Mr. Davis said, "and have corresponded since. I hope he will help me to convene a meeting of hoboes from all countries, so that we can all unite."

Mr. Davis has travelled five times round the world, and until this trip has always been accompanied by his wife. He was to have crossed the Atlantic in a small cargo boat, but a purse of \$300 was put at his disposal by the Chicago Federation of Labour, so he travelled third class in the Queen Mary.

There are over a million members of his organisation, and some of its objects are to help those who are willing to help themselves, assist runaway boys and induce them to return home, never take advantage of fellow-men or be unjust to others.



PALM BEACH QUEEN—Miss Helen Carter of Gainesville, Ga., poses after her selection as Miss Palm Beach, 1938. She was chosen among 65 contestants at the Sun and Surf Beach Club at the Florida resort. That quilted bathing suit she wears is a new wrinkle, you might say. Anyway it compresses into midget size, when off.

Joan Bennett's New Romance

New York. Will Walter Wanger, the film producer, marry Joan Bennett? This question is being asked in Hollywood with the news that one of the film colony's "happy marriages" is ending in the divorce court.

After being married 18 years, Wanger and his beautiful wife, Justine Johnston, are parting. She has filed a suit, charging him with mental cruelty.

Hockey Player Oddly Starred

Wingham, Ont.

The "local boy who made good in the big city" had nothing on Murray Munro, former Kincardine hockey player. The following error appeared in a newspaper: "Murray Munro is starring on the forward line in a black coat with Persian lamb trimmings and black hat with matching accessories."

Proceedings Stayed In £70,000 Income Dispute

"I congratulate the parties on having brought to an end what I can only regard as very unfortunate litigation."

This remark, made by Mr. Justice Crossman in the Chancery Court, followed the announcement of the settlement of one of the most remarkable actions brought in the Law Courts during recent years.

Opposed in it were a Member of Parliament and his wealthy wife, who have been separated for over a year.

As a result of the settlement an order was made staying all proceedings in the husband's claim to be entitled to one-third share in his wife's income of between £70,000 and £90,000, and his wife's counterclaim for a declaration that certain deeds executed by her had been revoked.

STATEMENTS BY COUNSEL

A crowded court assembled for the fourth day's hearing heard the dramatic announcement of the settlement of the dispute between Capt. A. S. Cunningham-Reid, 43, Conservative M.P. for Marylebone, and Mrs. Cunningham-Reid, 30, formerly the Hon. Ruth Mary Clarisse Ashley, younger daughter of the first Baron Mount Temple, and a sister of Lady Louis Mountbatten.

Mrs. Cunningham-Reid was not in court, but Capt. Cunningham-Reid sat the solicitors sent with his mother, who greeted him when they met with a kiss, and displayed a good luck gift—a silver decoration—saved from his wedding cake.

Previously there had been consultations between counsel on both sides.

When Mr. Justice Crossman was due to appear the two "sisters," Sir Patrick Hastings, K.C., for Mrs. Cunningham-Reid, and Sir Stafford Cripps, K.C., for Capt. Cunningham-Reid, were still in conference.

The judge remained in his private room until the two K.C.s visited him there. After they had spoken with him he took his seat in court 50 minutes after the ordinary time of commencement.

COUNSEL'S STATEMENT

Sir Patrick immediately rose, and said:

"I am in a position to inform your lordship that it will not be necessary for this case to proceed any further.

"All that I can say is that both parties agree in asking your lordship to make an order for all proceedings brought in the action and in the counter-claim to be stayed.

"May I just add this one observation. Your lordship will, of course, know that I have not yet had an opportunity of making a statement of the case to you. "I think it is right that I should state my entire agreement with what Mr. F. R. Evershed, K.C., for Capt. Cunningham-Reid, has stated to you that in the pleadings in this case there was no inference of undue influence, fraud, or dishonesty."

"Certain statements were made in the course of the proceedings relating to a personal arrangement between Lord Louis Mountbatten and his wife. That lady and gentleman are not parties to the proceedings, and, in fact, are abroad, but I am instructed authoritatively to state that there is no ground whatever for the statements."

Sir Stafford Cripps said he did not think it was necessary for him to add anything, except to say that his client was very glad that they had been able to come to a settlement.

Mr. Justice Crossman then granted a stay of proceedings in the action without any order as to costs.

SOCIETY WOMEN JOSTLED

Befuddled and bewildered society people thronged the court on each day that the proceedings lasted.

The congestion in the corridors as would-be occupants of the public seats struggled to pass the doors reached such a pitch at one time that it was impossible for those concerned in the case to get anywhere near the court.

Fashionably-dressed women were jostled in the tussle, and umbrellas were broken.

Sir Stafford Cripps struggled through with the assistance of a butler, court official, and a wife occupied places at the solicitors' table beneath the judge's bench.

Mrs. Cunningham-Reid, whose only jewellery was a diamond cluster pinned on her hat, looked the quietest-dressed woman in the crowded court.

She and her husband, though only a few feet apart, never gave each other a direct glance.

THE CASE IN BRIEF

CAPT. A. S. Cunningham-Reid, 43-year-old Conservative M.P. for St. Marylebone since 1932, brought the action against his wife, the Hon. Ruth Mary Clarisse Ashley, younger daughter of Baron Mount Temple.

He claimed a declaration that certain deeds executed by his wife settling part of her income of between £200,000 and £300,000 a year on him were binding on her and two companies.

Mrs. Cunningham-Reid contended that the deeds were revocable.

Capt. and Mrs. Cunningham-Reid were married in May, 1927. Mrs. Cunningham-Reid was 20 at the time of the wedding, and a ward in Chancery. They have two children.

With her sister, Lady Louis Mountbatten, she shared the £250,000 fortune left by their grandfather, Sir Ernest Cassel.

Capt. and Mrs. Cunningham-Reid separated in 1936, and it was stated during the case that divorce proceedings are pending.

Counsel were—
For Capt. Cunningham-Reid: Sir Stafford Cripps, K.C., Mr. F. R. Evershed, K.C., and Mr. Valentine Holmes.

For the defendants: Sir Patrick Hastings, K.C., Mr. Cyril Radcliffe, K.C., and Mr. Charles Russell.

The case was tried by Mr. Justice Crossman in the Chancery Division.

Immediately the case was over Capt. Cunningham-Reid turned with a smile of relief to his mother.

"Well, it's over, darling," he exclaimed, and gave her a kiss.

COSTS OVER £20,000

He was still smiling when, arm-in-arm with his mother, he left the court.

In reply to a question he said he had no statement to make.

Mrs. Cunningham-Reid told a friend who telephoned to ask if the case were settled: "I am grateful to say it is all settled most satisfactorily. I am indebted to my brilliant advocate."

"I am very happy and delighted about it all."

The case is estimated to have cost the parties over £20,000. Counsel's fees alone amount to nearly £10,000.

Sir Stafford Cripps and Sir Patrick Hastings each received 1,250 guineas for the original brief, and the junior "silk," one on each side, and the junior counsel received the usual two-thirds of the leader's fees, with daily "refreshers" to all.

Added to this is the heavy cost of the solicitors' preliminary work.

Mirrors and Perms For Prisoners

Miss Lillian Barker, assistant prison commissioner, told members of the Minerva Club in Bloomsbury recently that women convicts at Holloway:

Have mirrors in their cells—rooms, as they are called.

Are allowed to wave their hair; Can have clothes made to measure.

Will be paid from 2d. to 1s. a week from March.

Of Gracie Fields, who recently visited Holloway Gaol to entertain the prisoners, Miss Barker said: "She is not a typical music-hall artist. I was surprised to find how shy she was. You have only to look at her face and you know you are looking at a really good woman."

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Boy's Death Investigated

European Sergeant Tells Of Mishap

An inquiry was held by Mr. H. R. Butters at the Central Magistracy yesterday afternoon into the death of a boy, Lau Kai-wing, aged eight, who was knocked down by a motor cycle driven by Police-Sergeant L. C. Pennell in Wyndham Street on February 16, and who subsequently died from his injuries at the Queen Mary Hospital on February 22.

Mr. Butters was assisted in the inquiry by a jury comprising Messrs. J. D. Humphreys (Foreman), W. Hyde and G. Kelly.

Acting Sub-Inspector B. G. Baker was present for the Police. Dr. Lich Tsoung-kyi, attached to Queen Mary Hospital, stated that the boy was admitted at 1.35 p.m. on February 16. He was semi-conscious and had a wound on the left side of the scalp. His condition improved during the next few days, and was best on February 20, when he could take food, but he took a turn for the worse on February 21, and died at 4 a.m. on February 22.

SERGEANT'S EVIDENCE

Sergeant Pennell said he was on motor cycle patrol, and about 1.05 p.m. was driving westward along Wyndham Street. A motor van passed him about 15 yards from the steps leading to Arbutnot Road, and immediately after he had passed, witness saw a Chinese boy running across the road one to two yards from him. Witness only had time to shut off his engine and swerve slightly to the left when the boy collided with the right handle-bar of the machine.

The Sergeant was doing a speed of from 20 to 22 miles per hour, and pulled up in eight yards. He went back and picked up the boy, and found him bleeding profusely from the left side of the skull. A public car was passing at 4 p.m. and he stopped it. He entered the car with the boy in his arm, went up to Central Police Station, and later, on the arrival of an ambulance, accompanied the boy to Queen Mary Hospital.

Lau Kin, manager of the Shun Cheong grocery shop, Stanley Street, said the dead boy was his son. The Jury returned a verdict of death by misadventure, with no blame attached to Sergeant Pennell. Endorsing the Jury's verdict, the Coroner said he felt sure they would join with him in expressing their sympathy towards the family of deceased.

TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

Dairy Farm Employee Hurt By Motor Lorry

Knocked down in Pokfulam Road on Tuesday, Sum Kam-sang, an employee of the Dairy Farm, was taken to the Queen Mary Hospital with head injuries. The man was struck by a lorry.

FALL FROM A LORRY

The driver of a motor lorry, Lau Kan, reported to the police on Tuesday that while goods were being loaded on to his vehicle in Shamshuipo, a shop foki, Wong Cheuk, 27, fell off and received internal injuries. He was taken to the Kwong Wah Hospital.

MOTOR-CAR STOLEN

Mr. F. Stapleton, of 29 Stockville Villas, Camerton Road, reports that his motor car, No. 2283, valued at \$500, has been stolen from the Salisbury Road car park.

MOTOR CAR WHEEL FOUND

A motor car wheel, with a Goodrich tyre, was found in Nathan Road by Wong Wing-luk on Tuesday and was taken to the Mongkoktsui police station.

CAR MISSING

The loss of car No. 410 was reported to the police by its owner. It was parked at the Hankow Road car park when it disappeared.

FOREIGNER KILLED

Knocked Down By Truck In Shanghai

Mr. A. Essoyan, a 20-year-old Armenian, was found fatally injured in the head in East Broadway, near Arthur Road, Shanghai. He died while on the way to General Hospital.

Enquiries by the Hongkong Police revealed that the foreigner had been knocked down by a motor truck. The identity of the truck was not revealed.

Mr. Essoyan was believed to be employed as a watchman or caretaker.

SENTENCES RUN-DOWN

Charged with having deliberately hit two Japanese valises on sentry duty on Nathan Road shortly before 1 o'clock in the morning, Shiu Yee (alias 61), chauffeur employed by A.W. Yee, Japan Importing Co., with others, at 100, Des Voeux Road, were sentenced to 12 months' imprisonment.

STOCK MARKET REPORT

The Hongkong Stock Exchange official summary issued at 12.30 p.m. yesterday, reads:

During the short session, the market was quiet but the undertone was steady. A fair amount of shares changed hands, as there were ready buyers for all that was offered.

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UNQUIET ON THE EASTERN FRONT

The incident on the Polish-Lithuanian border which is disturbing Europe is nothing more than another example of the ill-feeling which has existed between the two states since the Great War and the alteration of Europe's boundaries which followed that catastrophe. At ordinary times it would have no great significance, but with the tension in Europe so great any spark must be watched lest it start a spreading fire.

To understand the Polish-Lithuanian dispute it is necessary to go back a few years and recall that Poland thrust her frontier out to embrace Vilna following the creation of Lithuania by Germany. In December, 1920, after the Russo-Polish war of that year, Poland won considerable territory from White Russia and the Ukraine. But she was not satisfied and raided Lithuania and seized Vilna, thus driving a wedge between Lithuania and Russia. The Lithuanians have never acquiesced to this particular piece of brigandage and retalliated by closing the River Niemen and the port of Memel to the Poles. This dispute the League of Nations has constantly tried to solve, but without success and there have been frontier disturbances from time to time which have kept Eastern Europe on edge.

There is an unpopular belief in some quarters that Germany would not object to Poland's adventuring across the Lithuanian border and annexing Memel, but it is improbable that Poland would venture to this enterprise alone since Russia has given notice that she will defend Lithuania against further attack.

The ports of Reval (or Tallinn) in Estonia and Riga in Latvia, two states which were given their independence by the treaty of Brest-Litovsk, are still the sea outlets and railheads of very considerable areas of western Russia. Reval is joined to Leningrad by rail; Riga links



An Article for people who CAN'T SLEEP

By
HAMISH FRASER

HAVE you ever thought seriously about sleep, what a queer, unequal, mysterious thing it is?

Why can one man count surely on falling asleep within two minutes of touching the pillow, while another must let the minutes tick by with torturing slowness into hours?

To reckon one person in a hundred suffers from insomnia is probably an under-estimate. If I were paid a penny by all the bad sleepers in England to hand over the secret of sound sleep—and plenty of them would gladly enough pay £1,000 or more—I should net a small fortune. Unfortunately, it can't be done. Sleep is one of the most baffling, mysterious phases of our life on this earth.

Let's take a look for a moment at some cases on record.

In Indiana in 1898 a certain David Jones, as a result of being put on jury service, suffered 93 nights' insomnia one year and 131 in the next.

There is another instance of a man who was such a victim of insomnia that he used to take out horses and gallop through the night in an effort to tire himself and thus induce sleep. The result was that he wore out three horses a night and himself went sleepless for 15 days.

Dozed on his Horse

ONE investigator, in the cause of medical science, voluntarily tried to do without sleep. He could keep

up with Pskov, in Russia, and the railway to Leningrad, and also with Moscow and Smolensk. It is natural that Russia would have considerable interest in these ports, and that their independence of Germany or Poland is the next best thing to actual Russian ownership, as far as Moscow is concerned.

It will thus be seen that the preservation of the integrity of Czechoslovakia is not the only thing which would draw Russia into conflict. How France would react to the invasion of Lithuania, or Latvia, or Estonia, is doubtful. But with things as they are any Polish enterprise in the direction of Memel might easily start a conflagration.

awake only for five days, and suffered no after-effects beyond a slight squint and decreased mental capacity which lasted a fortnight.

Doctors have put up several notable records. One went 18 days without lying down during a malaria epidemic. He used to doze on his horse between visits.

At the other extreme are excessive sleepers. Pavlov discusses a case in which sleep continued uninterrupted for 20 years except for slight restlessness at night, during which the patient used to get out of bed and write. The famous sleeping beauty of Chicago was in a different category. She suffered from encephalitis lethargica, and her brain cells were seriously injured.

I know a doctor one of whose women patients no drug seemed to relieve. He began with bromide, then aspirin and sedatives related to it, next simple barbiturates, and grander ones whose formula went something like phenyl-diethyl-p-amino-isobutyl, and so on, proved a failure, until there was at last nothing left but to send for a Grand Old Man from Harley-street.

And the Grand Old Man came and gravely pronounced that in his view a simple pill of rhubarb would be best. It was. It wasn't "nerves" the patient suffered from, but a slightly disordered digestion.

Of course, everybody knows that what, when, and how you eat has a lot to do with sleep. But you can't make a rule. Some folk will snore away quite happily after an 11 p.m. snack of lobster, cold Christmas pudding, Welsh rarebit, and black coffee. Others can't be too careful what they have for tea.

Some people are specially sensitive to the terrestrial magnetic field, and find they can sleep only if they lie with their beds along that field, with the head to the north.

This sounds fantastic but appears an indubitable fact, and if all other means fail it is worth turning your bed on successive nights to a different point of the compass to test your own reactions.

And so I'm afraid it goes on with most of the sage advice that can be given as regards high or low pillows, light or heavy bed-clothes, ventilation, a walk before retiring, reading in bed, and anything else.

Electric Brain-Waves

WORRY, powerful though it is to hold back sleep, does not affect all similarly. There are women who lie sleepless on account of no greater problem than next week's bridge-party, while on the other hand, men on the brink of financial ruin may slumber like peaceful babes.

Let's try to make scientific sense of all this. Physiologists believe that sleep is a condition

OXFORD WOMEN Would Surprise You!

Says
KEITH BRIANT
author of "Oxford Limited,"
and former Editor of "Isis"

I AM asked "What are Oxford women really like?—Are they a set of blue-stockings with their noses glued to the grindstone, or are they flighty young misses for ever powdering their noses and gossiping about their latest conquests?"

Those pioneers who overcame male opposition to the intrusion of the female into Oxford—for centuries a male preserve—would be amazed at the variety of subjects which the modern girl is covering in the university to-day.

With regard, for instance, to my own subject—Law—women certainly do not lack enterprise. I can well remember a lecture I attended in my second year. The lecturer was demonstrating a rather delicate point in the study of Criminal Law.

Both Were Women

SO as not to offend the women present by plain speaking, he offered to explain the point in greater detail to anyone who might care to call on him after the lecture. Only two did call, and to his horror, both were women!

It is no exaggeration to say that the woman science student has to be hard boiled. She is called on to perform tasks at which her grandmother would have fainted—and she performs them well. There is no room for false modesty in a science school.

I knew a girl who was reading Zoology, and she confided in me that the work was by no means easy and was often unpleasant.

"I work three days a week from 8 a.m. till 3 or 4 p.m. with an hour's break for luncheon," she said. "The other three days we do not start till 11 a.m. Apart from an hour's lecture, the whole time is spent on dissection."

Admirable

"WHAT sort of things do you have to dissect?" I asked.

"In elementary Zoology we have the frog, rabbit, and dogfish as the three main types. I shall never forget how horrified I was at finding my rabbit still warm from the chloroform chamber; while I couldn't get the smell of the dogfish off my hands for a week."

"But the subject is so fascinating that you soon learn to forget minor inconveniences. You learn to think solely of the job in hand."

In view of the fact that in the Zoology and Medical schools the young women have to dissect alongside the men and under the supervision of male demonstrators, such an attitude is admirable. And it is new.

This is not just Woman—the eternal feminine, giving herself a coat of mental varnish. The modern young woman at Oxford is as efficient, as practical, as cold-blooded—when she wants to be—as a machine.

In the Physics and Chemistry schools she takes equal risks with men in practical experiments and analyses, and in both cases she is neat fingered and as competent as any man.

an "inhibition"—that is, a state of general standstill in the brain.

Something cries "Halt!" and all except the most vital services are suspended.

Whether this ban on unnecessary business is caused by the spread of a brain hormone, or is imposed by a special "sleep centre" which comes into action at night and keeps watch that the Rest Rule is enforced is not yet certain.

But we hope soon to be able to record the electric brain-waves which will give us the clue.

What a first-class nurse does to help a patient to sleep will provide a few hints for bad sleepers to copy.

She doesn't go first to the drug cupboard. She speaks a gentle word or two to the patient, asks if he has pains, reassures him that, of course, he's going to sleep.

She sees that he's not half on his back, and half on his pillow, that his feet are not cold, and that he believes that sleep is actually

At the Botany and Geography schools she must spend one or two days a week tramping the lanes, observing the flora and the nature of the countryside—and she must not get tired.

Only in five subjects were women not competing with men last year. These were Geology, Engineering, Agriculture, Russian and Oriental languages.

It is essential that woman should prove her worth if she is to overcome the remaining shreds of male opposition to her presence in the university. Incredible though it may seem, not so long ago a certain lecturer refused to admit women to his lectures.

He Walked Out

THE story is told of lecturer Mr. X, who made a point of saying "Good-morning, gentlemen," completely ignoring the presence of the women students.

One day the men conspired to stay away from the next lecture, so that Mr. X would have to acknowledge the women. Unfortunately, one undergraduate did not hear of this. Mr. X arrived, said "Good morning, gentlemen," to the young man and proceeded with his lecture.

Next morning there were no men present. Amid an expectant hush Mr. X walked in, surveyed the scene, remarked, "Ah! I see there is no one for the lecture to-day," and walked out again!

As each year passes, however, the rules governing the women's colleges are being relaxed, and women are joining more and more in the social life of the university.

At sherry parties, on the river, at club meetings, and at dances, the Oxford girl proves that she can be as charming and as decorative as her less studious sister. And she has not so much time to spend on her appearance.

Beat the Men

IN the world of sport, the women's colleges play matches against the men in tennis and hockey, and often beat them.

But, you will ask, "What type of jobs do these Oxford women take on going down? Do they concentrate on secretarial, teaching, and commercial work, or are they taking up more specialised jobs?"

Many are now taking up such diverse posts as factory and labour management, hospital almoning, house property management, advertising, dietetics, and psychiatry.

The head of a big advertising firm recently told me that he found young women excellent copywriters, and that two of the ablest in his firm were from Oxford.

In scientific research women have already proved their worth. In the Civil Service examination last year, out of 47 places women took seven. Twenty-four per cent. of women were successful and only 15 per cent. of men. Of these seven women, two were from Oxford, and the first place for women was taken by an Oxford woman.

Common Sense

NOR have Oxford women that exaggerated opinion of their own importance which is often so fatal to Oxford men graduates. Many Oxford women go straight into big West End stores and start behind the counter—and this policy pays. Three Oxford women I know of are earning £1,000 a year in a big London store.

For her breadth of vision, her common sense, and her zest, I take off my hat to the Oxford woman to-day. There is no need to wish her luck.

Stroking the Temples

THEN she asks if he feels thirsty, and probably persuades him to take a hot drink. Sometimes a few lazy puffs at a cigarette bring about the essential lessening of nervous tension, sometimes she completes the task by gently stroking his temples.

The monotony of the strokes has a similar effect to the counting of jumping sheep.

I think, however, that sheep are too complex to imagine, too solid. Try instead inducing a profound relaxation of every limb and then count your breaths.

Say: "By the time I have taken 50 breaths, I shall be asleep. One, two, now, I'm starting—three, four, five, slipping farther..." and so on.

Long before you get to 50 you will be imagining all sorts of ridiculous, and unconnected things, and that means you are well on the "down" side of the

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Actress Tells Of "Crazy" Ten Months In Soviet Jail 'OGPU BOYS WERE VERY SWEET' But They Got No 'Confession'

Helsingfors (Finland)

EVA LOWENBURG, dark-haired, vivacious, London-born variety actress, told me to-day the story of her ten months' imprisonment in Leningrad's huge OGPU jail—a story "so crazy," she said, "it might be something out of 'Alice in Wonderland,'" says a correspondent.

Within two hours of our conversation Eva was in a ship bound for London and for the grand homecoming party which her mother, Mrs. Linden, of Mount Pleasant lane, Clapton, E., is preparing.

Also awaiting Eva is her ten-year-old daughter Sonia (of whom she heard not a word while in jail), and her sister Ivy, who was also arrested in Leningrad, but released after a few hours.

OGPU agents brought Eva to the Finnish frontier, and while awaiting a ship to take her home she has been staying in a tiny family hotel in Helsingfors.

"I'll tell you all about it," Eva said, "right from the night last April that I was hauled out of bed."

"I was allowed to dress properly, and they took me in a fine, big limousine to the Leningrad prison."

"Yes, I'll say it was a mighty comfortable car, and I would have liked riding in it if we hadn't been going to prison."

"Anyhow, they stuck me in a cell, and it was several days before they gave me an idea what it was all about. It seems that it was because my husband (a young Russian to whom she was married two days before her arrest) was a 'counter-revolutionary.'"

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"My cell wasn't too bad at all—about eighteen feet by nine, with a barred window, plain bed, a chest of drawers, and a chair."

"I found the mattress a bit too bumpy for my liking, so I asked the wardress to give me another. It startled her. She told me prisoners didn't generally ask for such things. But the new mattress came."

"Then I asked for carpets to cover the floor. But that was too much."

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SENATOR PITTMAN'S "WAR MUST COME IF—"

Washington. The United States has no alliance with Great Britain; no agreement relating to a possible war; and no agreement or understanding with any Power in connection with the operations of the American Navy.

These statements were made by Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, in a letter read to-day in the Senate by Mr. Pittman, chairman of the Senate's Foreign Relations Committee. The questions to which the letter formed a reply were put by Senator Johnson, in a resolution submitted to the Senate yesterday.

Mr. Pittman, after reading the letter, said it was the plain duty of the United States to remain without regard to cost.

"If the present trend of world affairs continues," he declared, "the inevitable result will be a war in which the democracies would be at a disadvantage."

He stated that Britain and France were confronted with the danger of a dictatorial Government in Germany, Italy, and Japan.

and conditions were growing progressively worse. The authoritarian Governments were strengthening the means of war, and if the democratic ones continued their policy of retreat the result would be continued conquest by the dictatorships, and ultimate war.

Admiral Leahy, Chief of Naval Operations, continued his evidence before the Naval Committee of the House of Representatives to-day. Battleships, he asserted, were the best of all defensive weapons, and unless the United States continued to build them "the country's sea frontiers would not be safe."

They could be sunk by air bombing if hit "in the right places," he admitted, but they had the protection of their anti-aircraft guns and those of other vessels near.

"Asked what was the purpose of maintaining submarines at Asiatic stations," he declined to reply.

Mr. McNamara, chairman, said that the United States had been made by the United States to acquire a wartime supply of oil, but he declined to amplify that statement.

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50 YEARS' SUSPENSE IS ENDED

New York. A sealed package marked "Not to be opened for fifty years" was deposited in the city vaults of Waterville, Maine.

That was fifty years ago. The package has frequently been discussed in Waterville; recently excitement became intense.

To-day the mystery was solved. The mayor, in the presence of city officials, solemnly broke the seal, opened the package and found—newspaper cuttings describing the work of Hannah Moore, an anti-divorce crusader of the '80's.

CHANGE YOUR WEAR TO BANISH CARE

ARE you glum? Yes? Then change that suit or that dress you are wearing.

Dr. Jane Lorimer Hawthorne, lecturing on clothes and character at St. Margaret's Church, Lothbury, E.C., said that certain garments could be worn too long and too continuously till they became saturated with moods, both good and bad, and "weighed down with thought."

"For this reason," she said, "there is much to be gained by putting on a change of clothes after a long day's work."

STRAIN AND WORRY "If you wear your office clothes at home you are bringing back from the City the business atmosphere of strain and worry."

It was also important to be particular about underwear. The girl who wore a smart frock and up-to-date coat over shabby underwear was the type of girl who would fail in anything she took up in life.

Similarly, the girl who left home at the last minute for the sake of an extra five minutes in bed, and had no time to attend to loose buttons or laddered stockings, would never succeed in business life or as a homemaker.

Elephants Kneel In Church

Rome. TWO elephants were made to kneel in the nave of a Rome church when the yearly Roman Catholic rite of "The Blessing of Animals" was celebrated to-day.

Hundreds of dogs, cats and carrier pigeons, as well as a complete troupe of performing animals, were also assembled in the church.

EMPIRE NEWS KING'S MESSAGE TO AUSTRALIA

Sydney. A message from the King was read by the Governor-General, Lord Gowrie, at a New South Wales State banquet, given at Sydney Town Hall to-day. The banquet formed part of the 150th anniversary celebrations.

His Majesty wrote that he felt both pleasure and pride in sending a message to the people of Australia—pleasure because of the recollections of the Queen and himself of their visit 10 years ago, and pride in "the remarkable achievement of our race in building up such a great nation in a comparatively brief historical period."

The King mentioned the development of Australia's population and her primary industries, and the change from the autocracy of the early Governors to a true democracy. Australia owed much to her pioneer statesmen, he added, and to the Old Country which reared them, but she had repaid her debt, both in peace and war, many times over by generous co-operation with the Motherland. He and the Queen prayed that Australia would ever enjoy increasing prosperity and happiness.

The King's message concluded: "People with so great a spirit, happy in a country so richly endowed by Nature, can look forward to the future with confidence as they look back on the past."—Reuter and Exchange.

Lord Gowrie's Leave.—After a Cabinet meeting to-day, Mr. Lyons announced that Lord Gowrie was proceeding to England on a tour on March 22. He proposed to accept an invitation to visit the Dutch East Indies en route.

Dutch Air Service.—The Federal Government has decided to authorise the Royal Dutch Air Line to extend its air service towards Australia, simultaneously with the inauguration of the Empire Flying Boat service.

Record Rainfall.—Between 1 a.m. and 9 a.m. to-day Sydney had six inches of rain—the highest single day's rain for 20 years. It caused damage estimated at £100,000.

BOMBAY EXCHANGE CRISIS

Bombay. Referring to-day in the Legislative Assembly to the crisis on the Bombay Stock Exchange, which still remains closed for forward dealings, the Finance Minister Mr. N. R. Sarker, said that the idea was prevalent that it was due solely to manipulation, and if the Government had acted vigorously normal conditions would have been restored. The situation was, however, due more to fundamental economic causes.

The iron and steel industry received a tremendous fillip from heavy armament programmes; prices soared, and the inevitable reaction came in India as elsewhere.

Sugar Control.—The Government of India is reported to have decided to form an all-India organisation to control sugar on the lines of the Indian Central Cotton Committee, with headquarters at Calcutta.

Skull Leads To Arrest

London. Vincent, 17, was taken to jail on a charge of "stealing a body." He was charged with stealing the skull of a man who had been killed in a car accident.

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12.0-12.20 Relay of Service of Intercession from St. John's Cathedral. 12.30 Variety Programme. Vocal—Faher O'Flynn (Graves—Stanford); Off To Philadelphia (Temple—Haynes). . . . Billy Scott—Comber (Tenor); Organ Solo—The Irish Organist—Medley (Arr. T. Cansey). . . . Terence Casey; Vocal—Come Back Paddy Reilly (arr. P. French); Little Bridgit Flynn (Words, P. French; music arr. M. French). . . . W. F. Watt (Tenor); with Violin, Cello and Piano; Humorous—Hands Across The Border (O'Donovan, Hayward); Sketch. . . . Jimmy O'Dea, Richard Hayward and Harry O'Donovan; Vocal—Believe Me, If All Those Endearing Young Charms (Moore, arr. Clutsum); Mother Machree (Olcott and Ball). . . . Danny Malone (Tenor). 1.0 Time Signal and Weather.

1.08 Irish Programme. Phil The Fluter's Ball (French); With My Shillelagh Under My Arm (O'Brien, and Raymond Wallace). . . . Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone); Irish Rhapsody (Herbert). . . . New Light Symphony Orchestra; The Fairy Tales of Ireland (Eric Costes). . . . Esda Ackland (Contralto); Londonderry Air (Traditional). . . . Albert Sanders (Violin Solo) Sydney Torch at the Organ; She Is Far From The Land (Hughes); The Dear Little Shamrock (Jackson). . . . Danny Malone (Tenor).

1.30 Reuter & Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements. 1.40 Irish Programme (Cont'd). Green Isle Of Erin (Bingham-Reacock); John McCormack (Tenor) with Orchestra conducted by Lawrence Collingwood; Medley Of Jigs Sean Nolan (Violin); Everybody Wants To Win The Sweep. . . . Jimmy O'Dea—Comedian; Buying The Furniture. . . . Jimmy O'Dea, Kathleen Drago & Harry O'Donovan; Kathleen Mavourneen (Mrs. Julia Crawford). . . . N. Crook. . . . Richard Crooks (Tenor); Bacca Pipes (Greenleaves—Headington) Arr. Cecil J. Sharp). . . . Elsie Avril and Everal de Jersey (Violin and Piano); Shannon River (Continued on Page 5.)

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CORINTHIANS WIN GAME IN MANILA

Manila, Mar. 16. Ilington Corinthians beat the Y.C.O. Athletic Club two goals to nil to-day.—Itetur.

TABLE TENNIS

The Ellis Kadoorie Indian School engaged the Junior Technical School and the Gap Road School in table tennis matches yesterday and won both encounters.

Scores were.—Indian School 18, Junior Technical 17; Indian School 17, Gap Road 8.

Football

CORINTHIANS THWARTED BY NINE-MEN DEFENCE

Failed To Score Against U.S.T.

Before meeting YCO last night, the Ilington Corinthians had played three matches during their visit to Manila, winning one and drawing two.

In their opening game on March 9 they had a clear-cut victory over an All-Chinese XI, scoring nine times without reply. In the second game, against the University of Santo Tomas, the English soccer tourists were held to a goalless draw, and against La Salle on March 13 they were again held to a goalless draw.

According to Manila newspapers just to hand, the Corinthians won their first match easily and fulfilled expectations as they "out-passed, out-kicked and completely out-played the Chinese."

When they met the U.S.T., however, the Ilington Corinthians found themselves up against a team which had a nine-men defence! They had never experienced anything like it before in the course of their present tour. Describing the match, the Manila Bulletin said:

"The play for at least nine-tenths of the game was in U.S.T. territory and the British team missed a score of opportunities because U.S.T. massed players all around the goal... honours of the evening went to Moranda, U.S.T. goalie, who played a beautiful game and made save after save, getting the hardest work-out that any goalie has had in years...."

UNNECESSARY ROUGHNESS

"The game was marked by any amount of unnecessary roughness and though countless fouls were made, few were called... the game was enlivened by some pretty terrible sportsmanship on the part of the crowd who... booed the visitors time and time again when they missed tries and the good sportsmen in the crowd were rather disgusted...."

"Quite a few players hobbled off the field after the hostilities came to a close... worst casualty was Sherwood, who received a cut on the head...."

As regards the game with La Salle, the Bulletin states that the local men matched the visitors in every department and gave them a grand fight. "It seemed the Corinthians were out to get even after experiencing the 'roughing-it-up' handed to them by Santo Tomas... they were a little rough with La Salle," says the paper. "Moreover, they protested against a number of decisions. There were many plays described as against local rules, but appeared legal to the visitors. The visitors were playing the game according to international rules and, being Englishmen, they should know the regulations of the British favourite game, it was declared. On the other hand, it was explained local rules cannot be disregarded. Under the circumstances, it was suggested it would be a good thing to bring the players and referees together and discuss the rules to be followed in the remaining games scheduled with the Corinthians."

OLYMPICS AWARDED TO JAPAN

Committee At Cairo Makes Decision

Cairo, Mar. 16. The International Olympic Games Committee declared to-day that Japan would be the hosts for the Olympic Games in 1940. They will be held in Tokyo between September 21 and October 6.

This date, which was suggested by Japan, is later than that which several of the delegates stated would be more suitable to their athletes. August was the time they advocated, but because of the extreme heat, which is then experienced in Japan, the Committee accepted Japan's suggestion.

Tokyo, Mar. 16. The decision has evoked widespread satisfaction in Tokyo.

Expressing his gratification, Mr. Takashi Goh, Chairman of the Organising Committee and Olympic Organising Committee, said the choice of the latter part of September for the date was quite proper from the viewpoint of sports. However, he added, he was sorry Britain and America had preferred August for the sake of their students.—Reuter.

Commenting in London on the decision Mr. H. F. Pash, Vice-President of the English Amateur Athletic Association, said he believed there would be little support from British athletes.

"The games are beginning to be regarded as a gigantic advertisement for promoting the country and the athletes of some countries are being trained at public expense in order to maintain the reputation of the country which they represent," he declared.



Exotic Anna May Wong heads the cast of "Daughter of Shanghai," the thrilling drama based on the alien smuggling racket which opens to-day at the Queen's. "Daughter of Shanghai" is Miss Wong's first picture in three years.

WEEKLY HOCKEY NOTES

(Continued from Page 8.)

the runners-up position in the Caer Clark Cup. A replay between these two teams will be necessary and will probably take place next Saturday week. Should the Saints strike the same form as they did against the champions, I can see them winning the Southern Cup. Keep it up, the Saints!

LADIES' League fixtures for Saturday are:
CAER CLARK CUP
"Y" Ladies v. C.B.A. ("Y") ground, 3 p.m.
BROWN CUP
St. Andrew's v. C.B.A. (C.B.A.) ground, 3 p.m.

THE following players will take part in the United Hockey Clubs' International Tournament match (first round) between England and India on the Police Training School ground at 5 p.m. to-day.—Dobson (R.E.), Robinson (R.A.F.), Stickley (Middlesex); Whetton (R.E.), Brown (Police), Guest (Radio); S. Fowler (C.B.A.), Howlett (Police), G. Fowler (C.B.A.), Dunne (Middlesex) and Bond (C.B.A.). Reserves: Gorman (Middlesex), Parker (Police) and Smith (C.B.A.).

India (red shirts)—Behari Singh (R.R.), Gurnin Singh (Kumaons), Thlok Singh (Kumaons); Tara Singh (H.K.S.R.A.), Ghulam Rasul (R.R.), Malik (K.I.T.C.); Teja Singh (Police), Pritham Nath (R.R.), Fyara Singh (K.I.T.C.), Gurbach Singh (Radio) and Partab (Kumaons). Reserves: Naraina Ram (R.R.), Khuda Bux (H.K.S.R.A.) and Booda Singh (Police).

MR. S. H. Ling of the Hongkong University, China's representative, makes a last appeal for players desirous of representing China in the International Hockey Tournament. Will players communicate with him as soon as possible so that a trial may be arranged in preparation for the final game?

THE United Clubs International Tourney commences this afternoon and is in no way connected with the H.K.H.A. International Tournament. The teams chosen for the former may in some respects be similar to the latter, though the majority of players may be chosen for both. India's team for the

H.K.H.A. International tournament has not been announced as yet, nor have those of several other countries. I have been given to understand, however, that India's team has been selected and it will be seen in a trial game shortly. There is no need for Indian supporters to be perturbed, as the Indian representative is turning out the best team available.

ENGLAND will be without the services of Victor Bond, their star left-winger, this afternoon as he is nursing an injured ankle sustained in a friendly game last Sunday. He is to have a rest for at least two weeks.

Scottish Trial Not Impressive Team Selected Yesterday

The few spectators who were present to see the Club play the Scottish trial team at King's Park yesterday afternoon found little to arouse their enthusiasm. The game ended in a draw of 1-1.

Several changes were made in the Scottish team during the first half and during a ragged display the Club scored through S. A. Fowler, left wing, in the second half. Scotland showed some superiority in general team work and Patterson put them on level terms after 15 minutes play. Douglass and Loch were also prominent in the attack. Neave, Fraser and McLellan formed a useful trio of half-backs, with Harland and Wallace a safe pair of hard-hitting backs. Waddell, in goal, showed smartness in keeping out shots from the opposing attack, but I rather fancy Wilson though he let in a goal in the first half.

The Club fielded a weakened team and it was a more than creditable feat on their part to draw with Scotland. They did the bulk of the attacking, with Fowler, T. Whitley and Bickford showing advantage in the matter of speed—if not opportunity. N. Whitley and the Reed brothers were the best defenders. Benwell was safe in goal.

Scotland receives a bye in the first round, but her representatives will have to ginger up the approach work of their forwards if they hope to give India a game in the second round.

Following the match, the following were selected to represent Scotland

PONIES CHANGE HANDS

The public auction of ponies held at the Paddock of the Hongkong Jockey Club yesterday saw considerable day changing hands at \$1,100 to reach the best announced figure of the day though the fact that several well-known animals were withdrawn indicated that private and satisfactory transfer arrangements had been made in their cases as well.

The ponies withdrawn were: Acme, Tempest, Tyne, Masquarie River, Double Finesse, Ferrybridge, Mongolian Cat, African Cat, and China Pony.

The following were put up and withdrawn as insufficient bids were made: Dynamite (\$100), Meteor (\$500), Bount Bay (\$1,500), Wild Life (\$1,500) and Vanida.

The owners of Harvest View and Bright View bought in the ponies at \$710 and \$700 respectively after some spirited bidding.

The following were the ponies sold:

Joddy Longlegs, 1938 sub-griffin, black, K. W. Chiu, \$103;
Eagle, 1938 sub-griffin, brown, K. W. Chiu, \$55;
Peter Guernsey, bay, Tin Seng, \$40;
The Giant Panda, 1938 griffin, bay, A. Sander, \$100;
King's Justice, 1931 griffin, grey, Wong Kam-fun, \$200;
Susan (late Sacalawa), chestnut, Tin Seng, \$95;
Mustard, 1938 sub-griffin, dun, S. W. Cheng, \$50;
Fowey, 1938 griffin, grey, W. H. Yung, \$145;
Nokomis, griffin, bay, T. K. Lee, \$110;
Commencement Bay, 1937 griffin, grey, C. F. Chiu, \$1,100;
Werning, 1938 sub-griffin, chestnut, van Reed, \$60;
National Anthem, 1937 sub-griffin, bay, K. W. Chiu, \$165;
Ouse, 1937 griffin, black, Tin Seng, \$80;
Silveramith, 1936 griffin, grey, Tin Seng, \$70;
National Triumph, 1938 sub-griffin, bay, S. W. Cheng, \$85;
Ribble, 1934 griffin, brown, Tin Seng, \$55;
National Crisis, 1938 Australian, chestnut, Tin Seng, \$110;
J. C., 1938 griffin, grey, D. Colson, \$10;
Sydney Bridge, 1938 Australian, chestnut, H. Graye, \$100;
On Your Toe, 1938 sub-griffin, chestnut, Chan Hon, \$85;
In The Bag, 1938 sub-griffin, bay, H. Seth, \$100;
Cloudy Star, 1938 sub-griffin, bay, S. W. Cheng, \$75;
Arina, 1938 Australian, bay, Tin Seng, \$105;
Jungle Jim, 1933 griffin, bay, J. M. Gutierrez, \$130;
See That, 1938 Australian, bay, Tin Seng, \$105;
Jack High, 1938 sub-griffin, dun, W. H. Yung, \$250;
Shamnan Eve, 1938 Australian, brown, Cheiff, \$120;
Alber, 1938 Australian, brown, K. Necklemann, \$225.

In the international tournament.—Waddell (Royal Scots); Cpl. Harland (Royal Scots), Flt. Lt. Wallace (R.A.F.); Capt. D. McLellan (Y.M.C.A.), Sgt. Fraser (Royal Scots), N. Whitley (Club), Capt. Mackenzie-Kennedy (Royal Scots), Lt. Douglass (Royal Scots), Capt. Loch (Kumaons), Lt. Patterson (Royal Scots), Drum Major Detman (Royal Scots), Reserves, L/Cpl. Neave (Royal Scots), Pte. Mickle (Royal Scots).

INTERNATIONAL TOURNAMENT DRAW

The following is the draw of the H.K.H.A. International Tournament, the first round of which will be played on Thursday, March 24:
Wales v. England; Portugal v. China; India v. Ireland; Scotland (bye) v. winners of India-Ireland tie

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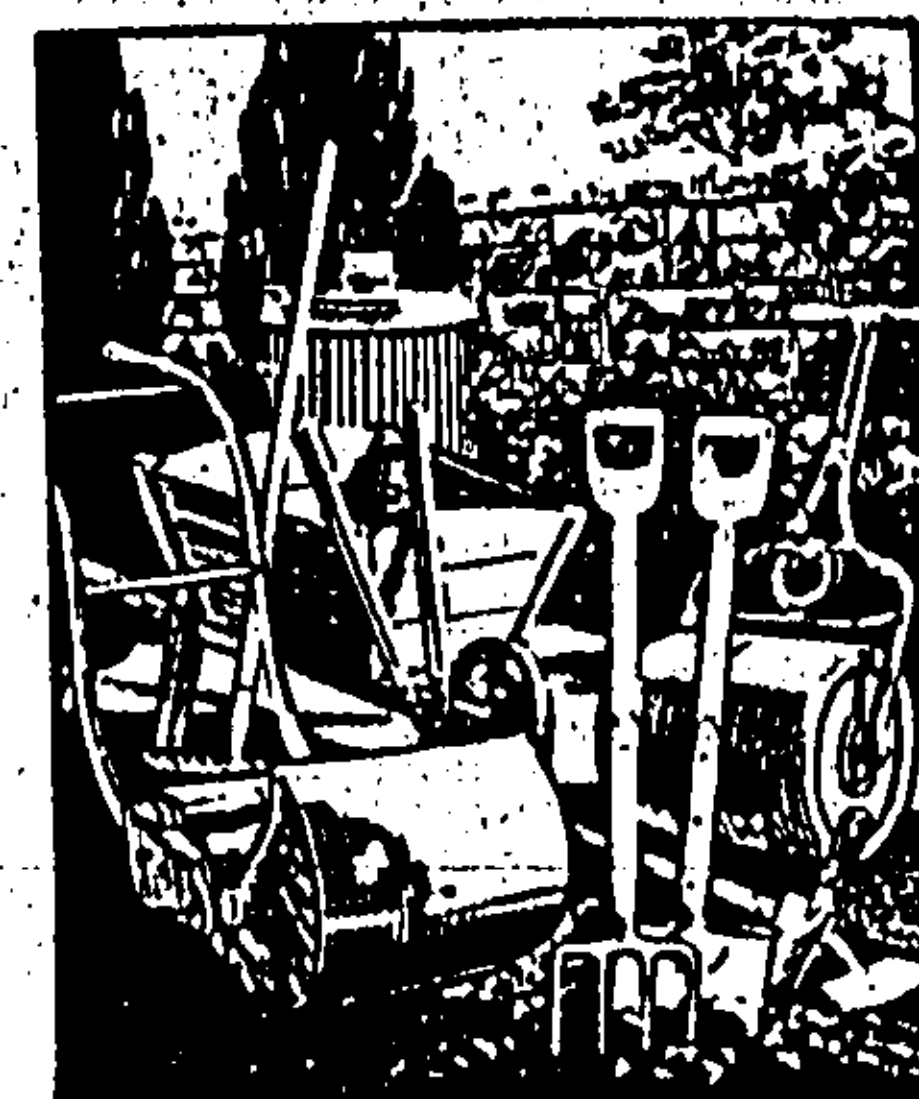
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PERFECT MURDERS GO WRONG

GENERALLY speaking there are two sorts of murder—premeditated and unpremeditated: so there are roughly two types of murderer; first, the man who thinks the whole thing out carefully and does it; and second, the one who just does it and thinks afterwards.

The murder committed, both find themselves confronted with the same difficulty—the disposal of the body.

And it sometimes happens that the second type of murderer, his brain clarified by the realisation of his fearful deed and his own danger, produces, with the sudden brilliancy of panic, the better scheme for getting rid of the body of his victim.

This type luckily is rare, and is usually confined to murderers of "artistic" nature on whose highly strung nerves fear has a "tonic" effect.

ALL WORKED OUT

THE most cunning kind of criminal is the one who, having worked out his murder, decides on one of two post-mortem courses of action.

He decides that he will either "discover" the murder himself and trust to the excellence of his own method to allay suspicion, or to throw it on someone else; or else he plans the complete destruction of the victim's body, knowing that the police must have a body before they can bring a charge.

The most striking case of the first type that I can discover is that of the murder of a woman which took place in an American town early last year.

The woman was presumed to have been killed by the accidental explosion of a shot gun, supposed to have been unloaded, which had been handed to her "to see how she liked it" by the man who, immediately afterwards, reported her death from the explosion that ensued.

A detective reasoned that if the woman had been handed a gun loaded with a dynamite charge, the murderer would have used one of the shot cartridges which fitted the gun, extracted the pellets and powder, and inserted the dynamite charge in their place. He would then throw the extracted powder and pellets away.

The detective found the pellets, as he had anticipated, caught in the joint of a drain pipe.

The suspected man, confronted with the evidence and a police photograph of the murdered woman, broke down and confessed.

But for his carelessness in disposing of the pellets he would have escaped.

BLAZING CAR CRIME

AN outstanding example of the second type of murderer (the wise one) who plans complete destruction of the body, thereby obviating any possibility of identifying the victim, is, in my opinion, Alfred Ruxton.

Ruxton—who was a logical and clear-thinking murderer of the Landru (the French "Bluebeard") type—decided that the best means of disposal of his victim was by burning the body in his own car.

He knew that, by burning the body, he was destroying the means of identification, no suspicion would attach to himself, as he had had no previous connection with the victim.

Unfortunately for him, his concentration on the completion of his crime or the state of his nerves was such that he omitted to hear the footsteps of some young men who were approaching.

He stepped out of the shadow of a hedgerow, and they saw and questioned him about the burning car. This incident—unforeseen as usual—led Ruxton to the gallows.

RUXTON'S MISTAKES

If we seek a case where the murderer used a diabolical cunning in the preparation of his crime, to nullify all his thought by two fatal mistakes, we need not look further than that of Dr. Buck Ruxton, of Lancaster.

Ruxton planned the cold-blooded murder of his wife. He killed her, dismembered the body, surgically, and disposed of the remains over an area of miles distant from his home. Yet all his detailed forethought was not sufficient to prevent this extraordinary murderer from wrapping part of his dead wife's torso in a blouse which belonged to his own servant maid, a process which, definitely, brought the crime back to his own house.

Not content with this, he actually presented his suit, which still bore

says
Peter Cheyney

Crime has been
his life study

blood-stains, to the charwoman who came to the house to clean.

How to dispose of the body? That is the question. It is one which interests many innocent people who, reading of a murder case, discuss—do—what they would do.

That is the question which every murderer must ask himself when he stands face to face with the mute and accusing body of his victim.

What will the police do? Where will they look?

Shall he bury it as deeply as possible as Wiedmann buried a victim? Shall he take lonely cottages and cut up, distribute, bury, and burn as Landru did?

Shall he use the technique of the surgeon; study books of anatomy so that his knife may dissect into small pieces a body that may be hidden here and there?

But there is always the head. What shall he do with the head?

Shall he use an acid and a bath? But, the acid must be obtained, and chemists ask questions and sometimes remember faces.

SEEN BY LOVERS

ALWAYS the unforeseen is there. Some lovers walking in the moonlight see and remember a strange sight; a child playing in the sunlight finds a human hand.

The body of a murderer may be clever and cool, but it cannot see into the future; it cannot obviate that one mistake—or if there is no mistake—that "unforeseen happening" that sets the best plan wrong.

But murderers are egotists. If they were not they might think it easier, more hopeful, to turn the knife against themselves.

Esquimaux Twins



A proud Esquimaux mother from Northern Alaska who has undertaken the long travel by sledge to the nearest photographer to get her new born twins photographed. The babies are sleeping well, untouched by the hard cold.

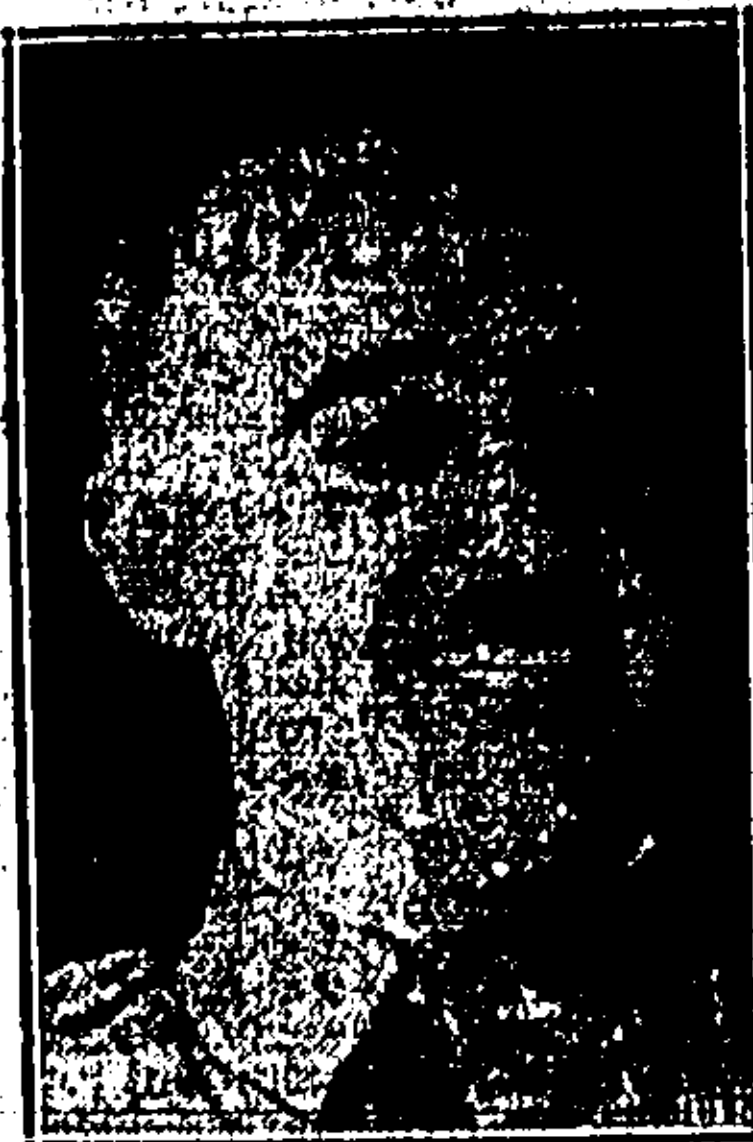
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ANSWERS

- (a) No; (b) Yes; (c) Yes; (d) No; (e) No; (f) Yes.
- Hohenzollern.
- 1908.
- Antigua, St. Kitts.
- Cretan.
- Vice-Chancellor.
- Cricket (Yorks); Rugby football (Hartlepool and England); Soccer (West Bromwich Albion); Coursing (Waterloo Club); Racing (Lincolnshire Handicap); Polo.
- Napoleon.
- Winchester, Salisbury, York, Rochester, Durham, Ely.
- Hat.
- Eliphaz, Bildad and Zophar.
- (a) No, (b) yes, (c) yes, (d) no.
- 13.
- Melissen.
- 14 Quilpe de Llano. Yague.
- Aranda. Davila.
- German black bread.
- S.O.S.

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Generalissimo Francisco Franco, Insurgent leader, who has made himself President-dictator of a reorganised Insurgent regime in Spain. Insurgent supporters learned of the appointment with the issue of the official bulletin, in a decree, signed by "El Cardillo" (the Chief). The General sets up 12 ministries which, with under-secretaries, will carry on the central administration.

NEW RECORDS

DANCE records in the latest lists include a number of Parlophone issues that should be tried out. I find the most attractive are "If I had you" and its reverse side "Dinah," two pieces of swing that are admirably played by Eddie Carroll's band.

These are good dancing swing, as is also a fox-trot called "Once in a while," played by Victor Silvester's band, with an agreeable waltz, "Giannina mia," on its reverse.

The latest Leslie Hutchinson couple, "Please remember" and "My gipsy dream girl," show all his charming neatness as a pianist and his very personal manner of getting a song over.

There is a useful fox-trot Medley, and another of waltzes (three each), made by Billy Thorburn for the usual combination of piano, fiddle and drums.

MASTER LOUGH who rose to fame as a Temple choirboy, has now reappeared as Mister Ernest Lough.

He has made an H.M.V. double-side. He has a pleasing baritone voice, which he uses decently and without any vocal trickery.

THE first of the new Columbia records I have played this month is one of Chopin's Piano Sonata in B flat minor. The pianist is Kilenyi.

This record is excellent. There is a Chopin Mazurka on the sixth side which also is extremely well played. Another blue-ribbon production is the H.M.V. record of Cesar Franck's Violin Sonata. The players are Heifetz and Arthur Rubinstein.

Experience has taught one that great names, though possessed by players who are magnificent each in their own sphere, do not of necessity make a workable ensemble. But in this case there is nothing to complain of.

The record is eminently satisfactory. Of the individual playing nothing can be said that is not highly complimentary.

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(Answers are on Column Two)

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(a) Paris
(b) Brussels
(c) Vienna
(d) Rome
(e) Dublin
(f) Helsingfors
- Carol of Rumania belongs to the House of:—
Alba Julia
Kara George
Romanoff
Hohenzollern
Hapsburg
Saxe-Coburg
- The Boy Scout movement started in:—
1880
1910
1918
1908
1914
1920
- Which of these are Leeward Isles:—
Barbados
Antigua
St. Kitts
Bahamas
Bermuda
Trinidad
- Our calendar is called the:—
Julian
Sheldonian
Gregorian
Marlian
Pompeian
Amphibian
- The administrative head of Cambridge University is the:—
Dean
Principal
Warden
Provost
Vice-Chancellor
Master
- What sports or games take place at:—
Headingley
Twickenham
The Hawthorns
Altcar
The Carlholme
Hurlingham
- One of these was the first King of Italy:—
Romulus
Victor
Emmanuel I.
Franz Joseph
Don Carlos
Napoleon
Constantine
The Great
- Which bishop writes after his name the word:—
Winton
Sarum
Ebor
Roffen
Dunelm
Eliu
- A gibus is the name of a:—
French officer wrongly accused of spying
Lizard
Jacquelin
Hat
Derivative gesture
Early vehicle
- Job's comforters were:—
Joab, Abishai and Asahel.
Dathan, Korah and Abiram.
Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego.
Casspar, Melchior and Balthazar.
Eliphaz, Bildad and Zophar.
- Is the civil ceremony essential for a lawful marriage in:—
(a) Scotland
(b) France
(c) Germany
(d) U.S.A.
- A baker's dozen is:—
7
15
9
8
11
13
- The first European china was made at:—
Sevres
Melissen
Derby
Copenhagen
Venice
Chelsea
- A groat was worth:—
10s.
A shilling
Twenty-five shillings
4d.
9d.
Five shillings
- Which of these Spanish Insurgent leaders is still alive:—
Quilpe de Llano
Mola
Sanjurjo
Yague
Aranda
Davila
- Pumpnickel is:—
One of Grimm's Fairy Tales
Hitler's police chief
The Austrian name of Father Christmas
A Swedish dramatist
German black bread
- What signal is this:—
fellow? They show promise in some novice affair, are taken up by a manager, sent to work in a gymnasium, given a few tips, and then started on a series of fights.

Our BOXERS Have Never Learnt HOW to HIT

Declares

PAT MURPHY

NOT very long ago I asked Lord Lonsdale why it was that England, the cradle and the home of boxing, had not produced a good heavy-weight boxer for years.

His primary explanation was this: "Most of the big, strong, athletic boys go into football nowadays, and that is the chief reason why they are absent from our rings."

Well, football may be robbing the ring in some measure, but I have made careful observation during the past year and I think there is a further explanation.

Some months ago The Daily Mail organised a series of competitions for prizes amounting to £2,000 in an effort to unearth a promising heavy-weight and put him on the right lines to follow the great English champions of far too many years ago.

Now the very basis of that enterprise was a clear intention that the young man who emerged as winner should receive proper tuition. This the successful competitor, Jack Smith, of Worcester, is getting.

I watched half a dozen contests recently between men of all weights, and in no contest did I see one who showed the least evidence of having been properly taught to box.

The amount of energy that was wasted, the powerful punches that disturbed nothing but the air, evoked sympathy, but not admiration. It happened that I was sitting next to two of the most experienced men in the game.

"Why can't these fellows land their punches?" I asked one of them during an interval.

"Never been properly taught," was the reply.

"Will they ever be taught?"

"No, they will just go from fight to fight until the vitality has been sucked out of them."

The principles of good boxing are simple, and they enable a man to protect himself from an opponent's punches, and to land his own punches in the right way.

They are usually beaten, and remain chopping-blocks for other rising young men for years to come.

Those with superb physique or a natural hard punch beat a few tenth-weights; gradually work their way up among the fifth-raters, and then are launched against some fairly good foreigner.

They are usually beaten, and remain chopping-blocks for other rising young men for years to come.

Futile Swinging

THERE are a number of boxers in this country who are really skilled and quite capable of turning a promising slugger into a boxer able to use his weight, speed, and intelligence and become a champion.

Timing and balance have far more to do with victory in the ring than rushing and banging and swinging.

For the full film of the Far-Brook fight before it was released, and I think anyone with even a rudimentary knowledge of the art of boxing will agree with me when I say that Farr could have won decisively if only he had stood up and punched straight and hard.

Swinging and bobbing and jumping is of no use against a man who keeps his eye on your chin and hits it the moment you are coming from your hiding place on the floor.

Petersen's Lapse

I WATCHED Jack Petersen in his second fight with Walter Neusel.

Any man who could stand before Neusel and punch his face at long range would beat him with comparative ease.

For the space of one minute in the eighth round of that second fight Petersen shot straight lefts at Neusel's face. Neusel was powerless and completely at his mercy.

For that one minute Petersen was boxing in the manner a real boxer would have chosen for him. Then, for no reason at all, he stopped, and Neusel closed in on him and continued hammering at his ribs.

A fight that Petersen should have won easily he lost hopelessly.

Larry Gains, the coloured Canadian, beat Primo Camera in London just before the Italian became champion of the world and when Gains was entering the veteran ranks purely by the aid of his polished boxing gloves.

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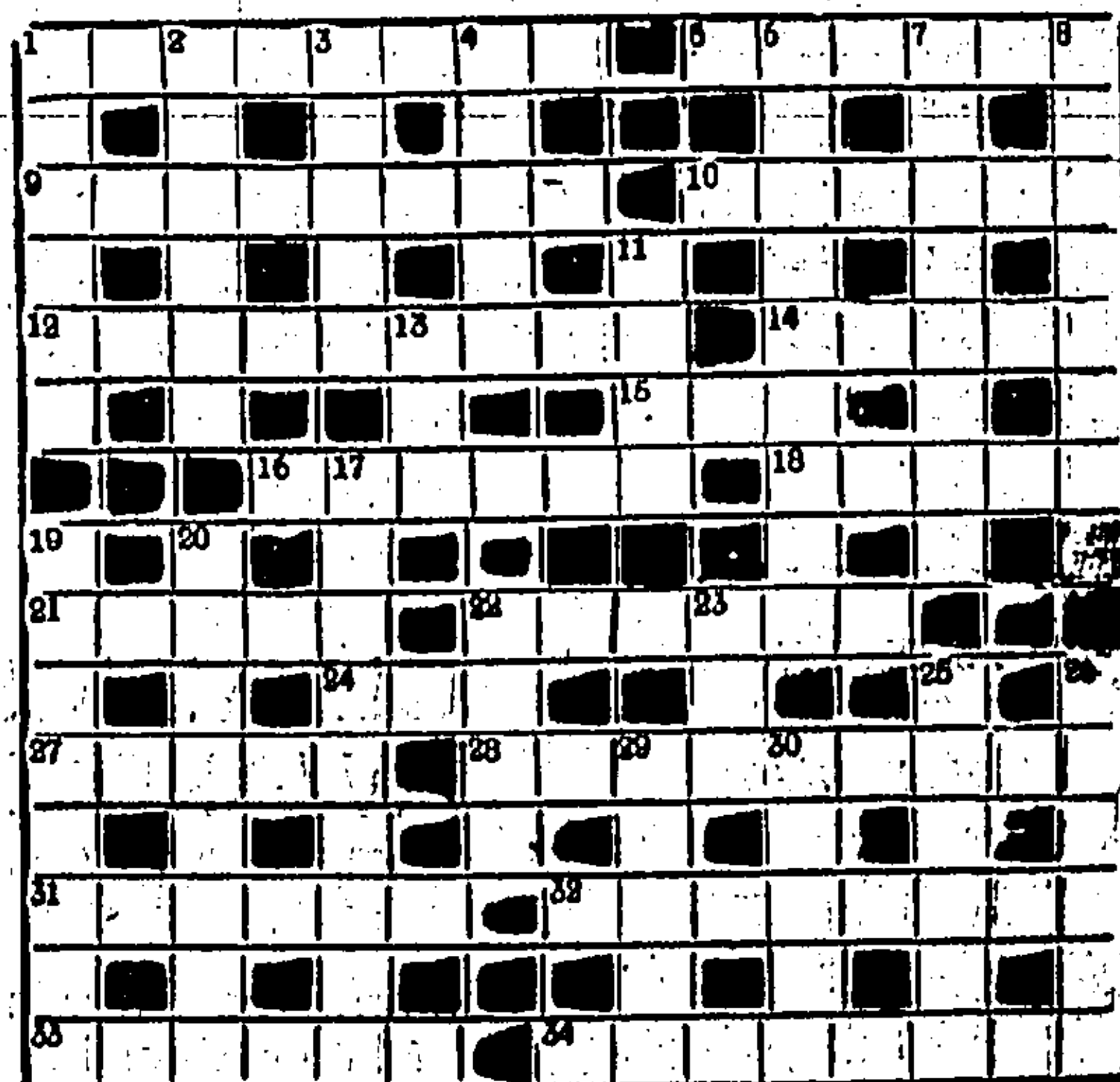
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ACROSS

- Medium of advertising instruction to a waiter (8).
- This comes from bad use of course (6).
- A court to court command (8).
- To get this plant just cut round everything (9).
- Legs like are enough to make laws (9).
- Foreign coin (5).
- Payment (3).
- A grand time of the year? (6).
- A salt is obtained from these mountains (5).
- Assorted (5).
- A good game; they say there's a lot in it (6).
- Bird (3).
- This man was feared when fully (5).
- Should the caber be made of this wood? (9).
- Musical instrument (6).
- These sessions deal with bar interests in a way (8).
- Surrender (6).
- Of course a cat that lost these parts would itself be lost (8).

DOWN

- Here you see me in plous surroundings; it is quite simple and plain (6).
- Minority (6).
- An alloy (5).
- Feminine name (5).
- This workers' meal is apparently a vegetarian one (9).
- This word may be only part of a word (8).
- As the lower in the wrestling match (8).
- Willard (10) is the could make (10).
- Home (10) is the could make (10).

13 Piece of wood useful to navigators (8).

- Not the top dog certainly, more like the bottom fish (9).
- This kind of worker seems to be a little wanderer (8).
- Scanty (8).
- One stage of a butterfly's life (4).
- Marine monster (3).
- This sort of china seems partly at any rate a money-making concern (6).
- Is it because they are now to housework that brides make this meat? (8).
- Far from valuable (5).
- This worker might become a water carrier if he lost his head (6).

Yesterday's Solution

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1 (t)
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(o) 25 to 1 (t)

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Discord and Laurent II were
scratched from the Lincolnshire to-
day when it was also announced
that Gordon Richards, champion
jockey, would ride Moody. The
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JAPANESE RAID HANKOW

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enjoying life with his sweetheart,
Chao.—United Press.

Smart Work By Chinese Searchlights

Hankow, March 17.
Hankow was treated to another
pyrotechnic display last night when
six Japanese bombers paid a further
visit to the city, and dropped about
30 bombs on the aerodrome.

As was the case on March 15,
powerful searchlights picked out the
riders long before they arrived over
Hankow, and kept them in beam
until they were out of sight.

The anti-aircraft batteries, how-
ever, did not go into action in order
to leave the skies open for Chinese
pursuit planes to engage the enemy.

Before their departure, the Japan-
ese planes fired with machine guns in
the direction of the searchlights.—
Reuter.

WON'T WORK IN ASAMA MARU

After six months of strenuous
salvage work to release her from
where she had gone aground during
the September 2 typhoon, the N.Y.K.
luxury liner is once more stranded,
this time in a busy dockyard.

At the end of last week the
steamer was refloated from Saiwan
Bay and was taken to Taikoo Dock
for repairs. But, up to to-day, she
is still untouched by workmen; they
having displayed unwillingness to
work in the ship.

Dock officials are doing their best
to reach a settlement with those
concerned. Other work in the Dock-
yard is in no way affected.

PORTUGAL TO STUDY COLONIAL DEFENCE

Lisbon, Mar. 16.
The Portuguese Government is
sending a military mission to Portu-
gal's African and other colonies, to
study problems of colonial defence.—
Reuter Bulletin.

UNCLAIMED TELEGRAMS

The following unclaimed telegrams
are lying at the Great Northern Tele-
graph Co. Ltd. offices, addressed to:
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STUDYING AUSTRIAN FINANCE

Vienna, Mar. 16.

Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, former
Minister of Economics in Germany,
and now President of the Reichsbank,
arrived in Vienna to-day where he is
investigating the financial situation
of the country.

The national banks of Germany
and Austria have decreed the ex-
change of the two national currencies
at 30 marks for 100 Austrian schil-
lings.

The sale of timber to foreign
countries, which is one of the chief
industries of Austria, has been
stopped.—Reuter Bulletin.

STOP PRESS NEWS

NORTHERN FIGHTING DESCRIBED

Hankow, March 17.

A Chinese military headquarters
communique just issued, states:
"Since March 14 Japanese forces in
the south-east of Shansi province
have been making furious attacks at
Wuhsintu on the north bank of the
Yellow River opposite Shensien, be-
tween Chengchow and Tungkuang."

Heavy fighting is going on about a
mile to the north but attempts to
cross the river there have been frus-
trated.

Over 1,000 Japanese troops station-
ed at Pingwu in Northern Shansi have
attacked Chengchow, and are moving
southward from Taijui and Yhsien
on the Tungkuang railway which con-
nects Tating in north-eastern Shansi
with Puhshien in south-western Shansi.

ATTACKING TAIYUAN

About 5,000 Japanese on March 13,
with heavy artillery, moved south
from Linfen, south of Taiwansu.

On March 15 the Chinese attacked
the Japanese at Puhshien, south-west
Shansi, on the east bank of the
Yellow River, but the attack failed
because the Japanese positions were
strongly fortified, and the troops
well entrenched.

Chinese troops are at present
occupying positions in the mountains
surrounding Puhshien.

About 5,000 Japanese troops
are at Chaihsiu and Chiaoehin,
and have been attacking the old
town of Tai Yuan, which is located
south-west of the capital of Shansi,
which bears the same name. How-
ever, these forces are now withdraw-
ing to the north, and their intentions
are not indicated.

Severe fighting is still raging
along the northern sections of the
Tientsin-Pukow Railway, and the
Chinese at Luchuan have been sur-
rounded by Japanese following a
concentrated attack from Chaihuo on
the Tientsin-Pukow railway, be-
tween Tsouhsien and Tenghsien.

Both the Chinese and Japanese have
suffered heavy casualties. The
Chinese flank forces still remain
in their original positions, and
Chinese reinforcements yesterday
morning reached Puhshien, to the
north of Tenghsien on the Tientsin-
Pukow railway to check a Japanese
frontal attack. Fighting is still
progressing.

One Japanese detachment is ap-
proaching Lungshan from Kanchen,
while another detachment is attempt-
ing to attack Waihsien and Tenghsien
from the south side of Lungshan.
—Reuter.

Japan Builds New Luxury Ocean Liners

Tokyo, March 17.

The construction of three luxury
liners, designed expressly for the
transportation of visitors to the
Olympic Games in 1940, is announced
by the N.Y.K.

The keel of the first of the three
liners will be laid in May, and all
three vessels will be completed be-
fore 1940.

They will each have a displacement
tonnage of 10,500 and a speed of 22
knots.

Following the termination of the
Games, the ships will be placed on
the European run.—Reuter.

CHANGTEH BESIEGED

Chengchow, March 17.

Changteh, important town on the
Peiping-Hankow Railway in north
Honan, which has been used as a
base of operations by the Japanese,
has been besieged by the Chinese
forces.

The Chinese launched a counter-
attack on the city on the night of
March 13 and pushed right to the
city gates. The Japanese opened
heavy machine-gun fire on the
Chinese attackers but failed to
repulse them. After suffering con-
siderable casualties, they were forced
to withdraw into the city and close
the city gates. Since, then, the
Chinese have been besieging them.—
Central News.

NEW AIR MAIL SCHEDULE ANNOUNCED

The following telegram has been
received by the Postmaster-General
of Hongkong, Mr. E. L. Wynne-Jones,
from the Postmaster-General of Lon-
don, regarding the inauguration of
the new air mail service between
London and Hongkong:

"Commencing April 10, air mail
services will leave London on Sun-
days and Thursdays and will be due
in Hongkong on Fridays and Wednes-
days. Commencing April 15, west-
bound services will leave Hongkong
on Fridays and Mondays, and will be
due in London on Thursdays and
Sundays."

GRENADE EXPLODES IN NANKING ROAD

Hankow, March 17.

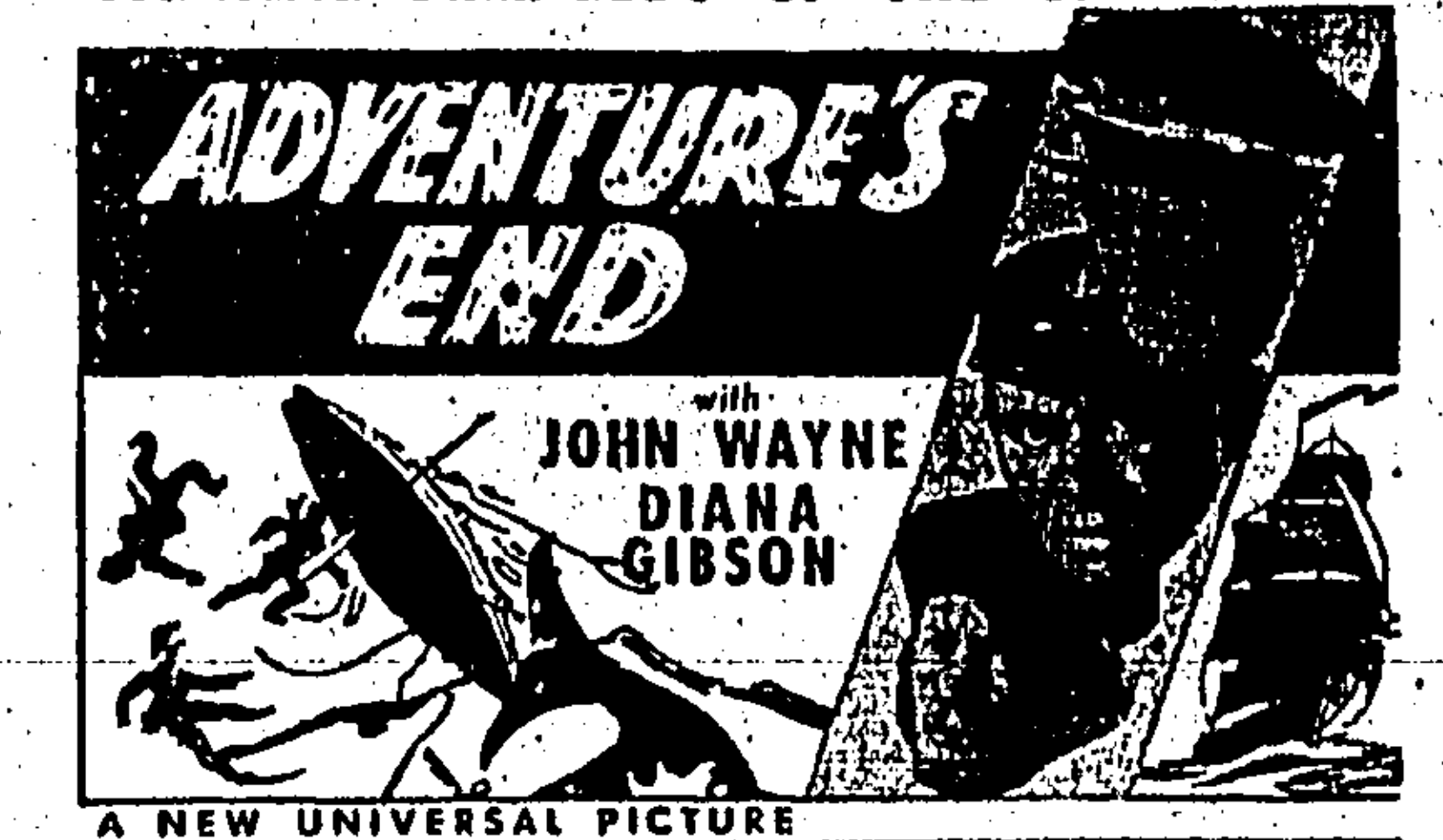
Pedestrians on Nanking Road in
the International Settlement in
Shanghai were thrown into con-
sternation shortly after one o'clock
yesterday afternoon when they heard
an explosion, according to a report
from Shanghai.

The explosion was later found out
to have been caused by a hand-
grenade which fell from a Japanese
ammunition truck. No person was
hurt.—Central News.

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JUST the RIGHT HEIGHT!

"SHE'S just the right height. . . " That was the tail end of a conversation I overheard the other day, and I wondered what, in the opinion of the speaker, was the "right height" for a 20th-century Lovely.

I became so intrigued with the question that I decided to get opinions on it from five different people who ought to know.

VICTOR STIEBEL, famous dress designer, chose 5ft. 9in. as his ideal height, and gave as his reason the fact that clothes—particularly evening gowns—are shown off to the best advantage when there is a long sweep from waistline to hem.

"Frocks worn by a woman of this height," he went on, "immediately take on an air of elegance and distinction."

"At the same time, when I design clothes for my own amusement and pleasure, I choose for my model a girl of 5ft., for on her I feel I can often get the best effect of all."

C. B. COCHRAN, famous producer, says 5ft. 8in. is his ideal—Gertrude Lawrence's height, incidentally. The 5ft. 8in. girl must have slim ankles and slim feet, though her figure needn't be too svelte.

But small and frail ones take heart, for after this I saw Ivor Novello, who doesn't mind us as little as 5ft. 2in., and he doesn't like us taller than 5ft. 7in.

"Proportion is all that really matters," he said; "and if a girl is perfectly formed, then she is always the right height." So now we should all feel on the crest of the wave.

DILKUSHA, Princess de Rohan in private life, thinks 5ft. 7in. ideal. As she is not very tall, I thought this noble of her.

I clung to Ivor Novello's remark about proportion, and I thought to myself how few of us there are who have a sense of proportion. For whatever height we are between 5ft 2in. and 5ft. 10in.—and any of these, it seems, are ideal, depending on whether you most admire mannequins or stage stars—we must still think before we dress and, in some cases, slim before we dress.

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BAROQUE, famous London dress designer, says "5ft. 10in. with shoes, please, not too slim. . . " This means approximately 5ft. 8in. without shoes, so you will see that most dress designers are agreed that a model's height should be average or above. Brunette models are, according to Baroque, taking the place of blondes. In fact, he says he "hasn't a blonde in the place."

THIS beautiful evening gown, worn by one of Baroque's lovely 5ft. 10in. brunettes, is made of bright lilac and silver lamé. The trailing skirt is split in the centre front and edged with fur.

This mother, contrary to all maternal instincts, asserts . . .

"I don't like my daughter"

I USED to make excuses about escape and become a woman. I was twenty-eight before my mother decided that a daughter is not such a bad thing to have. We are the best of friends now. We do not love each other, but our relationship is pleasant, detached and affectionate. It might have been like that twenty years ago.

Case History

MENTAL dishonesty is a worse crime than physical cruelty. It took me some time to find that out. Memory and the experience of my childhood helped. Sally gave me a few hints herself. I have stopped saying "ought" to love.

Here is the case history of my heart. Sally stands between me and the things I want to do. Between me and opportunities to show that I am an intelligent professional woman and not just "another mother."

Sally is Slow

OTHER people like Sally. Her father adores her. I am jealous about this. It is an unpleasant emotion between a mother and child, but it is there.

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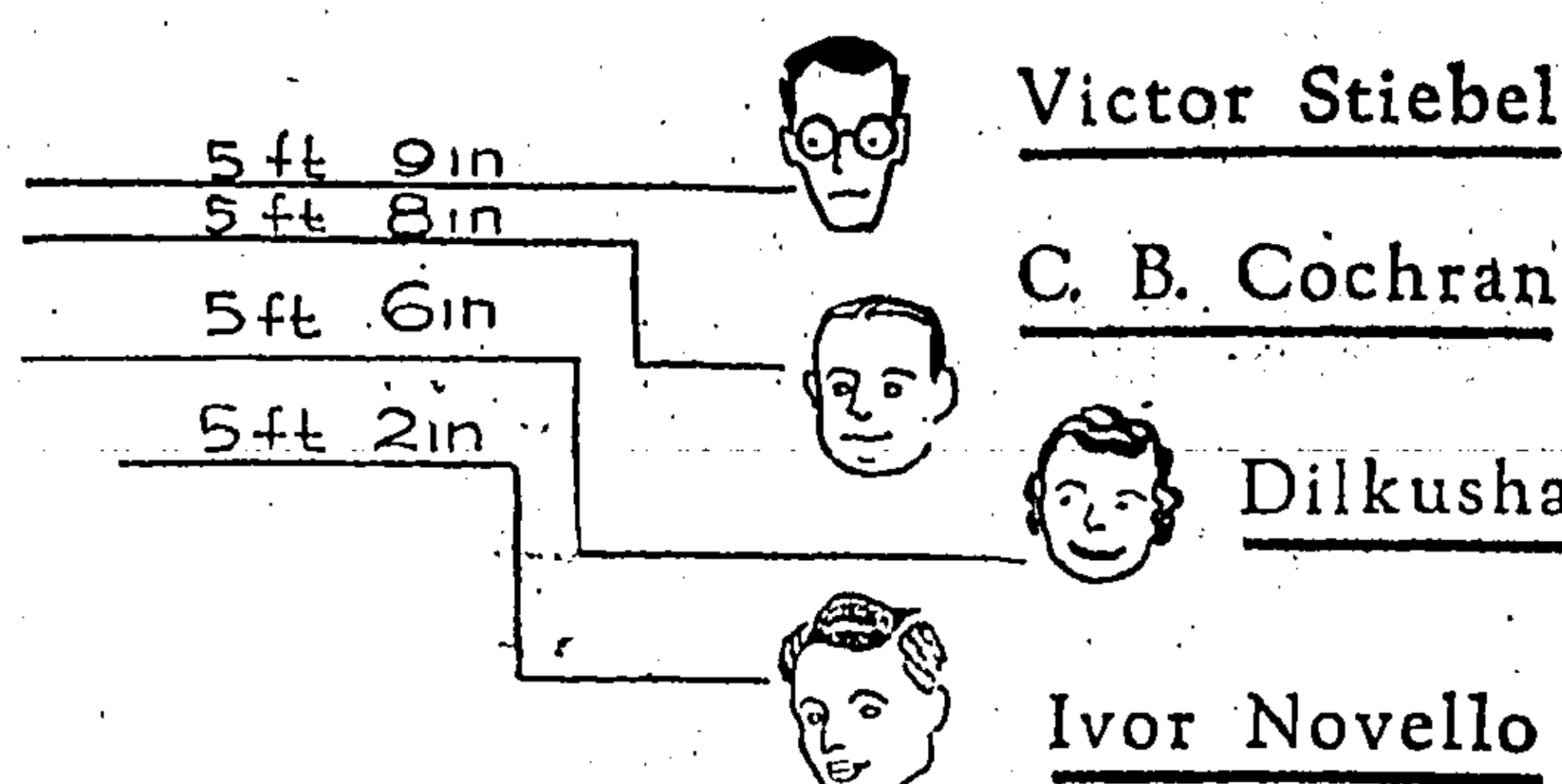
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Odd-Minute Exercises

AS the winter wears on, many women realise that they are taking insufficient exercise. It is unwise to attempt counter-acting this lack by a burst of strenuous activity. All that is needed is a little extra exercise fitted in very often during the day's routine.

"Many a mickle makes a muckle" applies to movements as much as to anything else.

Stretching and twisting in every direction before getting out of bed can begin the suppleness campaign which may be carried on by turning and bending as much as possible during the dressing process.

Cats are models of nimble grace, and they always stretch themselves after sleep.

Head Stretching

If you watch six women walk along the street you will notice that at least four of them seem to be moving only from the knees. Instead of sinking down into your shoes, stretch the back of your head upwards until you feel like a piece of elastic trying to escape from the pavement.

It takes no longer to walk in this way and almost every muscle in the body is thereby exercised.

Americans (whose carriage is often better than ours) sometimes give the advice "stand tall."

"Walk very tall" should be our motto.

Summer often finds us with knees which have stiffened up during the winter. The easiest way of keeping them supple is to lie down, occasionally, and draw both knees up to the chest. After this, raise each foot off the ground, alternately, letting it drop of its own accord.

Most of us realise the value of deep breathing exercises, but dislike doing them. If a habit is formed of taking six deep breaths every time one goes out of doors, shallow breathing will become less frequent.

To Remedy Bad Circulation

Bad circulation of the blood may be caused by too great an economy of small movements over a long succession of days. Gentle exercise is more satisfactory than violent because it is followed by no reaction.

An hour's walk twice a day is better for most people than two hours at a stretch.

Sedentary workers may have time for neither, but it is astonishing how many odd minutes during the day can be given to twisting, stretching, and turning by anyone who is determined to be supple.

Some of us mean to start a morning daily dozen "soon"—stretch and turn at odd moments until that time arrives.

Temperamentally our huloes do not of children is a far greater advantage fit. Sally is patient and rather slow, to her than I in my present mood. I have what my husband kindly calls On the other hand, I may not be so an "irritable intelligence." Sally good at the work as I think I am, likes to dream. I must do. So far One way or another work should as mental, physical, and spiritual solve this problem for me.

She Knows

A Career THEN there is Sally herself.

HERE are my plans. Work balanced. I believe, in a quiet, unspectacular way, she accepts me and my attitude towards her. She certainly knows. Children always do. In the fairy tales the again is the best thing to do at pre-sent. I shall be able to give Sally changeling's life is filled with rich advantages which she cannot have rewards. Sally will grow up not because of her mother . . . but in now.

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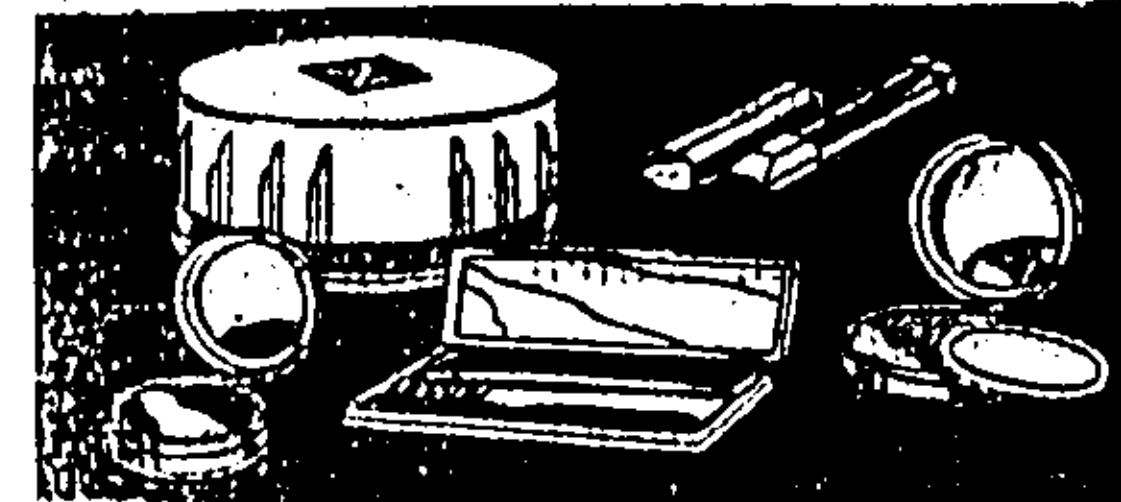
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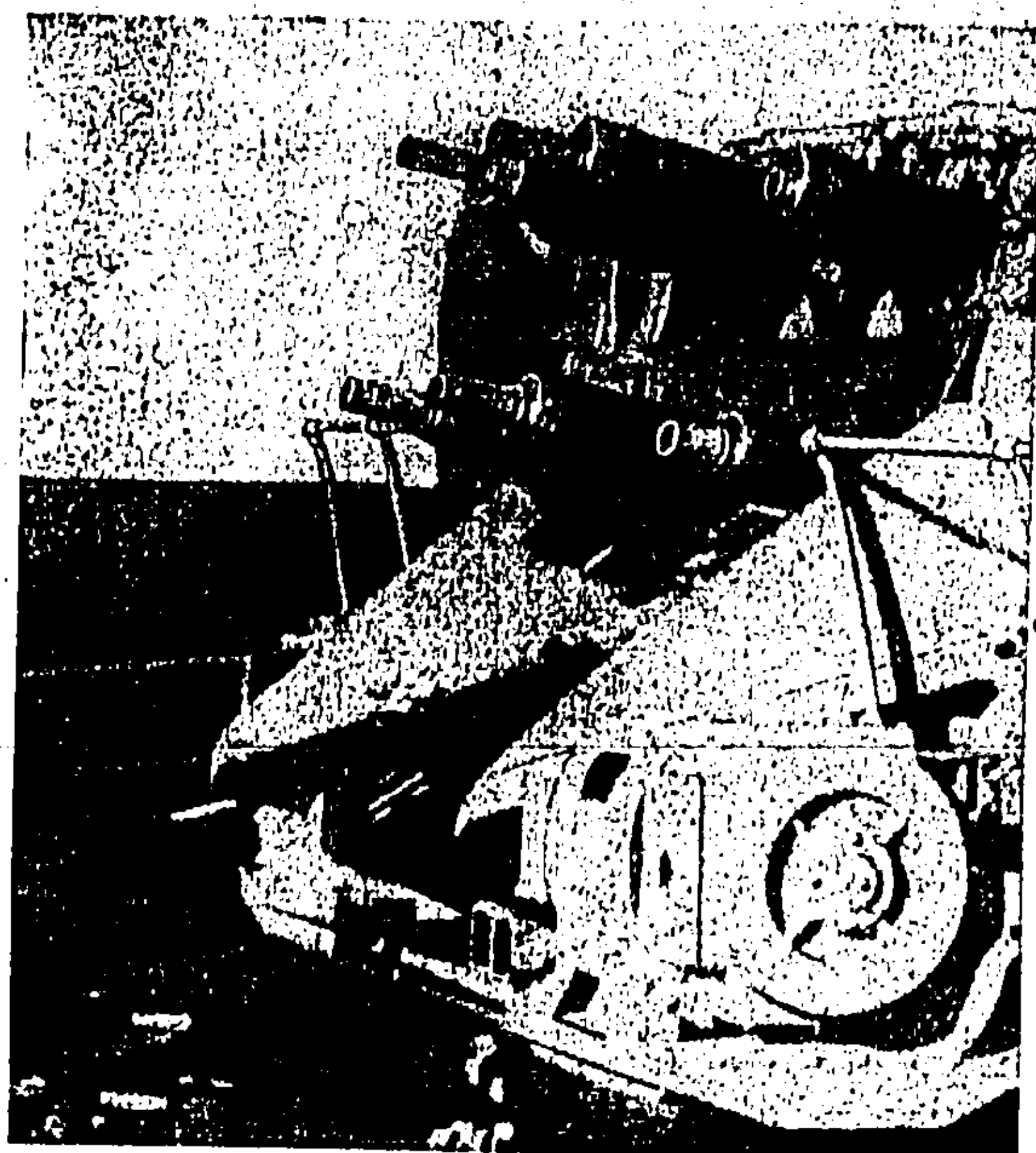
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CHOP CASE JUDGMENT RESERVED

Business Transfer Not Advertised, Counsel Asserts

Judgment was reserved by the Chief Justice, Sir Ansell MacGregor, at the Supreme Court this morning in the action brought by the Union Trading Company, claiming \$5,100.48, being the price of old newspapers bargained for and sold.

Defendants were the Kwok Man Chau Ka (restaurant) and Chiu Chiu-ling, managing partner thereof, the New Kwok Man Chau Ka, the Tung Hing Company and Li Po-yuen, partner therein. The last three, it was stated by Counsel for the plaintiffs, were included as defendants because they were the transferees of the business and as such were equally liable.

The Hon. Mr. Lee D'Almeida, J., instructed by Mr. M. A. da Silva, appeared for the plaintiff, and defendants were represented by Mr. H. Somerset Fitzroy, on the instructions of Mr. C. A. S. Russ.

Continuing, his evidence from the previous hearing, Chiu Kwok, the sole proprietor of the Kwok Man Chau Ka, said his chop, which had been affixed to the contracts with plaintiffs, was left in the charge of Fung Fan-ling and Chiu Chiu-ling, Chan Tok, who was stated to have negotiated the contracts, had no authority to use it. There was no record of any contract for old newspapers in his books.

Li Po-yuen, the last defendant, testified that he had been in business for over 10 years and, in his experience he found that the signature of the owner, beside the chop itself, was essential in putting through a contract. He was a partner of the Tung Hing Company, which had no dealings in old newspapers, and he had not heard of any restaurant business which used them.

LIABILITY NOT PROVED
Mr. Fitzroy submitted that the plaintiffs had not proved in any shape or form that Chiu Kwok had anything to do with the contracts. The evidence was that Chan Tok was the principal in the deal, but the latter was merely an employee and had no authority to use the chop or act on behalf of the Kwok Man Chau Ka. Further, the contracts did not bear the signature of Chiu, an essential factor in such transactions, and the fact that he had no knowledge was borne out by the absence of any entry concerning old newspapers in his books.

Referring to the last three defendants, Counsel contended they could not be held liable as there was no transfer; it was merely the renting of property which was on the premises.

SAFEGUARD PROVIDED
Mr. D'Almeida argued that the transferees were liable by reason of the fact that they did not advertise their taking over of the business in the Government Gazette. The Fraudulent Business Transfer Ordinance provided such a safeguard, and if the transferees had advertised, they would be relieved of all liability of the transferees.

Counsel then went on to say that he had heard of cases where entries in a man's books had been used against him, but he had yet to hear of a case in which the absence of entry could be used in his favour. The reason for the absence of entry in the books might well be that dealing in old newspapers was only a sideline and therefore no entry was necessary.

If Chiu Kwok had no knowledge of the contracts, he would have made enquiries as soon as he learned that his chop had been wrongfully used. Instead he did nothing and such conduct, Counsel submitted, was not that of a man who was genuinely faced with a surprise.

Counsel concluded by characterizing the evidence of Chiu Kwok as a case of inconsistency and improbabilities, and asked that judgment be given in favour of his

WON'T PLEDGE BRITAIN TO FIGHT

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tions with Italy, that any further activity or change in the Spanish military situation would necessarily affect continuance of the Italian conversations and the whole situation.

The Prime Minister said that recent developments appeared to have taken place with men, arms and equipment which were already in Spain.

Mr. Attlee then sought to move the adjournment to call attention to the lack of any ministerial policy to counter the grave menace to British interests arising out of armed intervention in Spain by certain powers.

When the speaker asked whether Mr. Attlee had leave of the House, all the Liberal and Labour members rose, and their number being considerably more than the required forty, assent was given.—British Wireless.

Debate In Lords

The debate on the Austria situation took place in the House of Lords last night. Replying for the Government, the Foreign Secretary agreed with an earlier speaker that it was perhaps too soon to pass final judgment on the sequence of events that had destroyed Austria as an independent State.

The view of successive British Governments had been that the status quo in Austria could not remain for all time, and regarding Austro-German relations, they had been perfectly willing to contemplate a revision of the peace treaties.

Lord Halifax went on "Whatever may have passed between German leaders and myself which must remain confidential, I have never, in any conversations I had with the German leaders, taken any line but this—that while I did not suppose anyone in this country was concerned to maintain the status quo in Europe for all time, they were concerned to see that no changes should be made in Europe by violence, or something approaching violence which might lead to incalculable consequences.

It is the ruthless application of the power of politics that has so profoundly shocked the world and that is responsible for grave apprehensions that exist in so many quarters to-day."

Treaties Disregarded
Referring to the suggestion of taking the Austrian question before the League Council, the Foreign Secretary said Austrian independence had disappeared overnight in complete disregard of treaty provisions, and the world had been confronted with a fait accompli in circumstances for which he could recall no parallel in history.

"I confess I can see no good to be gained at this juncture for the League or for any of the great purposes the League represents, by bringing this matter before it. Nothing short of war can put back the clock, and States which are members of the League are not prepared to go to war on this issue. These facts must be perfectly and clearly faced."

The Government, said Lord Halifax, had to recognise that Austria was no longer an independent entity, but had been absorbed by Germany. They did not think it worth while waiting for a plebiscite as the result was a foregone conclusion.

The Spanish Situation
Referring to events in Spain, he said it was largely because the Government foresaw something like 18 months ago what was likely to happen, that it had thrown its full weight and its influence behind a policy of non-intervention. He added: "We have made it perfectly plain to the Italian Government that events in Spain are vitally important to this country in reaching an agreement as a result of the Anglo-Italian conversations."

The Government was fully alive to the dangers, but he had always been disposed to take the view of his predecessor, that the victorious side in Spain would not necessarily have to be against the interests of Britain.

Turning to Czechoslovakia, he said no one could be blind to the new situation or what events might hold for any country in Europe. He had taken steps to convey to the German Government that the British Govern-

DEFIES NAZIS' ORDERS

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desire to be the first major Government to recognise the Anschluss. It is indicated that America may act officially after the plebiscite.—United Press.

Reichstag To Meet

Berlin, Mar. 16.
It is strongly rumoured that the Reichstag will meet on Friday at 8 p.m. to hear a speech by Herr Adolf Hitler. Official quarters declare they are ignorant of this. It is also rumoured that the Reichstag may be dissolved after the meeting, but official quarters regard this as somewhat improbable.

Herr Hitler, in a speech from the balcony of the Chancellery to a huge crowd gathered below, declared that the great unity of German people now created can never again be destroyed.—Reuter.

Later.

A meeting of the Reichstag has been called for March 18.—Reuter.

Berlin En Fete For Hitler
Berlin, Mar. 16.
All school children were given a holiday to-day, and all shops, offices and factories were closed for Hitler's triumphal return this afternoon, the city being ransacked for flags.—Reuter Bulletin.

Hitler To Tell Of Coup
Berlin, Mar. 16.
It is stated that the Reichstag will meet at 8 p.m. on Friday to hear a speech by Herr Hitler on the incorporation of Austria in the Reich.—Reuter.

Austrian Consulate Becomes German
Shanghai, Mar. 17.
The Austrian Consulate-General has turned over its office here to the German Consulate.—United Press.

Hostile To Church
Vatican City, Mar. 17.
The Osservatore Romano, official organ of the Vatican, in an editorial to-day declared: "Restrictive measures against the clergy and Catholic institutions in Austria are under way. They reveal a tendency hostile to religion and the Church."—United Press.

ment had noted Germany's assurance given to Czechoslovakia. He was given permission by the Government to state the actual terms of the assurances given. These assurances were given solemnly and more than once repeated, and the British Government naturally expected the German Government to abide by them.

If they desired to see peace in Europe there was no quarter in which it was more vital than that understanding should be scrupulously respected.

Policy Of Peace
He assured the House the Government was giving and would continue to give these questions, most careful consideration, and it was hardly necessary to add that the Government was in closest consultation with the French Government.

In conclusion the Foreign Secretary said the conscience of a great part of the civilised world had been shocked by recent events. The British Government had always advocated a policy for the removal of international misunderstanding and suspicion, and in favour of co-operation and peace.

"There is no one who will deny that our hopes have been prejudiced by what has passed during the last few days." The objectives of British foreign policy must be first, to secure support of a united people and a united empire, and secondly, while relaxing no effort in support of real peace, to assert the claims of international law as against international force.—British Wireless.

INJURED BY FALL
23-year-old man, Chan Sin, was taken to the Queen Mary Hospital after he had injured his head when he fell in Second Street, West Point, yesterday. He was chased by a crowd of men who alleged that he had been stealing firewood.

DIVIDEND RECOMMENDED
At the forthcoming annual general meeting of the Union Waterboat Co. Ltd., the consulting committee will recommend a dividend of 60 cents per share for the year ended December 31, 1937.

JAPANESE LAND AT YANGTSE'S MOUTH; SHIPPING WARNED

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more than 30 rifles and two machine-guns.—Central News.

INTENSIVE FIGHTING

Hsuechow, Mar. 17.
Intensive fighting is still going on at Chaihuo, Tenghsien, Peichiao and Lungshan on the northern sector of the Tientsin-Pukow Railway front. Taking advantage of their mechanised equipment, the Japanese have launched repeated attacks on the Chinese positions at these points. So far the Japanese have not been able to make any headway.

A Chinese unit was surrounded by the Japanese at Lungshan yesterday but succeeded in cutting its way to freedom.—Central News.

PENGPU BOMBED

Hsuechow, Mar. 17.
Over 80 Japanese officers and soldiers were killed a few days ago when a bomb dropped by a Chinese plane during a raid hit the Japanese field headquarters housed in the Yu Hsing Cotton Mill at Pengpu.

Over 1,000 Japanese troops are said to have been killed during surprise attacks by Chinese guerrilla units on the southern sector of the Tientsin-Pukow Railway in Anhwei.

At Hwuyuan, strategic town on the left bank of the railway north of the Hwai River, defection is brewing among disgruntled Manchurian irregulars now under Japanese employment.—Central News.

CHINESE CAPTURE WUSHING

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sideable casualties, they were forced to withdraw into the city and close the city gates. Since then the Chinese have been besieging them.—Central News.

GRENAD EXPLODES IN NANKING ROAD

Hankow, March 17.
Pedestrians on Nanking Road in the International Settlement in Shanghai were thrown into consternation shortly after one o'clock yesterday afternoon when they heard an explosion, according to a report from Shanghai.

The explosion was later found out to have been caused by a hand-grenade which fell from a Japanese ammunition truck. No person was hurt.—Central News.

FRANCE NOT INTERVENING IN SPAIN

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to aid "Red Spain" at the eleventh hour.—Reuter.

Won't Intervene If Position Unchanged

Paris, Mar. 16.
It is learned that the British and French governments have agreed not to intervene in Spain unless there is proof of massed arrivals of Italian and German reinforcements.

However, in the event of such proof, they will reconsider their non-intervention policy.—United Press.

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Weekly Hockey Notes By "The Pilgrim"

Caer Clark Champions Surprised

First Reverse Of The Season

Spectators were thrilled with the play at King's Park last Saturday when the League Champions, the "Y" Ladies, suffered a 3-2 defeat at the hands of St. Andrew's. In justice to the Champions it must be admitted that they were unfortunate in being without the services of their brilliant right-winger, Mrs. Burnett, and with a depleted attack, put up a rare fight and actually scored first.

It would have been much more satisfactory if the Saints had won against a full complement of "Y" players, but the fact remains that

NOTES OF CURRENT INTEREST

SEVERAL complaints have recently been made by the Army in regard to the late appearances of Civilian teams in friendly hockey fixtures. It is said that many civilian teams are usually 15 to 25 minutes late and cause a great deal of inconvenience thereby. Club secretaries and representatives are requested to co-operate with Army and Navy teams to the extent that, if they are unable to take the field at the scheduled time, they will notify their opponents so that more satisfactory arrangements can be made.

PROVIDING Macao is agreeable, the interport match between Hongkong and the Portuguese Colony will take place on April 18, Easter Monday. The first Colony trial will take place sometime next week.

GREAT controversy has arisen among players regarding the use of studs in hockey boots. Studs and bars may be used, provided they contain no dangerous material, such as spikes or nails. Ordinary football boots may also be used; but sharp studs which taper to a point are not eligible nor are worn-out boots with protruding nails. This is left to the discretion of the umpire, who has the right to forbid the use of boots which do not comply with the rules. The notice of the captain concerned should be drawn when such boots are used.

AFTER their brilliant exhibition last Saturday when they defeated the "Y" Ladies, the present champions, the St. Andrew's Ladies have tied with the Hongkong Ladies for (Continued on Page 9.)



Miss G. White was outstanding at right back for the Saints last Saturday.

the Saints' team work was extremely good. I have never seen the halves play with such skill and determination.

Misses P. Lawson, J. Wong and H. Reid covered themselves with glory in stemming the fast "Y" attacks made by Mrs. Gardner, Miss M. Smith and Miss M. Westcott. The Saints' forwards were extremely fast and keen, moving the ball quickly and accurately, but in the first half they encountered stout opposition. In the "Y" defence, Miss A. Fowler at left-back in particular was outstanding with her terrific first time clearances. Only rarely did the Champions get the ball to the other end, but when they were on the move they were dangerous. Subsequently after twenty minutes play, Mrs. Reid scored. Miss M. Smith sent in a pile driver which Miss June Hall saved but failed to follow up. Mrs. Reid ran in and scooped a nice goal. Ten minutes later, following a right wing centre from Miss F. Wong, Miss P. Gittins equalised with a rising first timer, the ball entering the top of the net, and on the run of play the Saints deserved to be on terms at the interval.

SAINTS' DETERMINATION

On resumption things looked black for St. Andrew's supporters when



Three characteristic studies taken at the Hongkong C.C. yesterday in the Colony Tennis Championships. Left to right:—J. W. Leonard, Paul Kong and Tsui Yun-pui. (Photo: Staff Photographer).

Badminton HUI & YONG SHINE IN SEMI-FINAL

Wong And Au Also In Splendid Form

The two semi-final matches in the men's doubles Badminton Championship played on the Talkoo court last evening concluded as expected in victories for P. H. Wong and C. Au, of the Chinese Y.M.C.A., and P. K. Hui and K. L. Yong, of the University. Their opponents were L. A. Carvalho and A. M. Silva, of the Club de Recreio, and M. A. Oliveira and J. J. Remedios, also of the same club, respectively.

None of the players last night reached anything like their usual form. The floor seemed a trifle too slippery and affected the players to some extent.

In the first match of the evening, Carvalho and Silva snatched a lead in the first set, but the latter drew level in the second set, and finally ran out at 18-13. In the second set, Wong and Au never looked like losing, establishing a lead which they never relinquished.

Wong was the outstanding player on view, his one fault being his rather careless service—an unusual thing for him. Au did not impress apparently being overawed by the importance of the occasion. He steadied up considerably in the second set, however, and gave his partner fine support.

Silva played exceedingly well, but unfortunately for him Carvalho was off colour.

LITTLE OPPOSITION

Playing much below their usual standard, Oliveira and Remedios offered no opposition to Hui and Yong in the first set. The under-graduates led 7-2 in the second set, but Oliveira and Remedios staged a rally, drew level and actually led 9-8. They could not hold their lead, however, and lost the set by 15-10. Hui and Yong were playing

IRELAND WINS AT SOCCER

One Goal Decides International Tie

Belfast, Mar. 16. Ireland defeated Wales by a goal to nil in the International soccer match played here to-day before a crowd of 14,000. The game was played in a blustery wind, which spoiled the efforts of both sides.

The teams were: Ireland—Twoomey (Leeds); Cook (Everton); Fulton (Belfast Celtic); Brophy (Millwall); McMillen (Ches-terfield); Drowne (Leeds); Brown (Coventry); Farrell (Edinburgh Hills); Bambrick (Chelsea); Stevenson (Everton); and Doulier (Grim-sby).

Wales—Gray (Chester); Turner (Charlton); Hughes (Birmingham); Green (Charlton); T. G. Jones (Ever-ton); Richards (Birmingham); Hop-kins (Brentford); L. Jones (Arsenal); Perry (Doncaster); B. Jones (Wolver-hampton); and Warren (Hearts).

Wales won the toss and had the advantage of the wind, which mostly carried the scoring efforts over the bar or the goal-line.

Both defences were magnificent and half-time arrived with no score.

The wind again spoiled the efforts of both sides in the second period. Ireland missed a penalty. Brown striking the upright after Stevenson had been brought down in the penalty area. However, the Irishmen went

splendidly together, and if anything were more impressive than even Wong and Au.

The final between these two pairs, judging by their play last evening, will be worth going a long way to see.

Scores: P. H. Wong and C. Au beat L. A. Carvalho and A. M. Silva 18-13, 15-10. P. K. Hui and K. L. Yong beat M. A. Oliveira and J. J. Remedios 15-1, 15-10.

BRITISH AMATEUR BILLIARDS

Kennerley Retains His Title

London, Mar. 16. Kingsley Kennerley retained the British Amateur Billiards Championship by beating Thompson in the final to-day.

The champion scored 8,639 points to his rival's 3,925.

Kennerley's score and the combined aggregate scores of the two finalists constituted records for the championships.

Kennerley has been selected to represent Great Britain in the Empire Championship to be held at Melbourne in June.—Reuter.

ahead in the 33rd minute when Bambrick scored from a first-timer. This match has assured England of the championship irrespective of the result of the Wembley encounter.—Reuter.

LEAGUE RESULTS

London, Mar. 16. The following were the results of matches played in the Home Football Leagues to-day:

FIRST DIVISION

West Bromwich 1 Manchester C. 1
Huddersfield 1 Preston N.E. 3

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)

Crystal Pal. 3 Walsall 1
Gillingham 2 Notts C. 1

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)

Darlington 2 York 1

SCOTTISH LEAGUE (FIRST DIVISION)

Clyde 7 Morton 1.—Reuter.

SINGLES TIES PRODUCE SOME GOOD RALLIES

PAUL KONG IN BITTER TUSSLE WITH LEONARD

(By "Abe")

The improvement which marked Tuesday's play in the Colony Tennis Championships at the Hongkong Cricket Club was maintained yesterday when further progress was made in both the singles and the doubles.

Apart from the solitary doubles tie, which finished in quick time, all the three singles matches were interesting and provided spectators with about the best programme seen to date.

Though from the purely tennis point of view, a higher standard of play was reached in the game between F. H. Kwok and Cheng Ping-yung, chief interest was centred yesterday on the meeting of Paul Kong and J. W. Leonard. Old rivals, these two also met last year when the Chinese won. Kong was successful again yesterday in straight sets; but he was given a better tussle by Leonard, especially in the second stanza, which was a tough and go affair.

There were some good rallies in the course of the match, and play was always interesting, giving spectators quite a bit of good tennis and a lot of other things besides. Kong's strokes were firmer all round and he seemed better equipped than Leonard in volleying and overhead, but he did not seem as fit as the latter, who finished the game the fresher of the two despite the fact that he had had considerably more running to do.

DIFFERENT TEMPERAMENTS

A striking contrast in the temperaments of the two players was obvious at the start. On one side was Leonard, highly-strung and eager to get to grips without any waste of time; on the other was Kong, calm, deliberate and in no hurry.

Leonard perhaps had only himself to blame for it, but he did seem affected by Kong's slowness between services and between the rallies. As a result, he became such a bundle of nerves that he lost six games in a row in the first set after winning the opening game in fine style. In striving for outright winners, he made a considerable number of mistakes, chiefly when Kong was at the net.

Leonard put up a much better fight in the second set because he saw the wisdom of keeping the ball in play. By doing so he was able to get a larger share of the game and incidentally went towards driving out the Chinese, who was already showing signs of distress. But Leonard's volleying and overhead play were weak and even when he had Kong out-positioned, he was unable to inflict the coup-de-grace.

Even as it was, Leonard had a chance of taking a 3-1 lead; but though he was 40-15 on his own service while leading by 2-1 he failed to clinch the game, which would have been of inestimable value to him especially as Kong, for the first time in the match, lost his next service. Therefore instead of being ahead at 4-1, Leonard found himself with the slender advantage of 3-2 when the sixth game was commenced.

DOGGED STRUGGLE

The subsequent games were not able not so much for the quality of

the tennis as for the doggedness of the struggle. At times, each flashed out winners, but mostly the two players were content to keep the rallies going and to reduce their mistakes to a minimum.

Even in the last game of the match, several "deuces" were recorded. With Kong at match-point, Leonard scored a netcord winner—his one to Kong's two—to turn a rapscall. Leonard then got to within a point of levelling up at 5-5, but missed his chance and Kong won the next two points for the match, the last with a beautiful forehand drive down the side-line.

Tsui Yun-pui, of the C.R.C., advanced into the next round by defeating Pang Ol-lam, of the Kowloon Tennis Club, in straight sets. Tsui won without having much difficulty, but Pang gave a good account of himself and held his own in several interesting rallies.

F. H. Kwok, a semi-finalist last year, had a fright in his tie against a newcomer, Cheng Ping-yung, who played to such good purpose in the opening set that he annexed it with the loss of only one game. But Kwok's fighting qualities came uppermost in the next set, and by steadily his play he won it after 14 games. The final set went to Kwok, who conceded only two games.

The only doubles tie was a H.K.C.C. domestic affair. H. Owen Hughes and T. A. Pearce were far too strong for A. C. I. Bowker and W. M. Barton, winning out by 6-1, 6-0.

OPEN SINGLES

Paul Kong beat J. W. Leonard 1-1, 6-4.

F. H. Kwok beat Cheng Ping-yung 1-6, 8-6, 6-2.

Tsui Yun-pui beat Pang Ol-lam 1-3, 6-2.

OPEN DOUBLES

H. Owen Hughes and T. A. Pearce beat A. C. I. Bowker and W. M. Barton 6-1, 6-0.

TO-DAY PROGRAMME

Singles—Lee Wai-tong v. Wei Chung.

Doubles—W. C. Hung and E. C. Fincher v. M. W. and M. K. Lo.

Club championship—H. Owen Hughes v. B.O.M. Deane.

Club—handicap—singles—J. J. Ferguson v. T. E. Whalley; H. J. Armstrong v. J. E. L. Smalley; G. W. Sewell v. R. M. M. King.

Club handicap doubles—T. A. Pearce and J. B. H. Leckie v. A. D. Humphreys and G. R. Sayer.

DARK BLUES LOSE AT RUGGER

London, Mar. 16. The Oxford University's rugby fifteen were defeated to-day when they met Birkenhead Park, who won by 27 points to 11.

The Royal Air Force beat the Civil Service at Hallow by 20-11.—Reuter.

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A motor car, No. 681, which had earlier in the day been reported stolen, was used by two men to commit a theft from a tailor's shop in Wanchai last night.

According to the tailor, Yu Chuk-wan, the two men drove up to his shop in Lee Tung Street about 9 p.m. and ordered \$47 worth of clothes. These were wrapped up for them and the men left the shop, and walked in the direction of Lookhart Road, where they disappeared. The clothing was not paid for.

The stolen motor car was left behind.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT
AT K.C.C.

A "progressive" tennis tournament will be held at the Kowloon C.C. on Sunday, March 20, commencing at 2.30 p.m.

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COMING SOON
QUEEN'S

Football

CORINTHIANS
THWARTED BY
NINE-MEN
DEFENCEFailed To Score
Against U.S.T.

Before meeting YCO last night, the Islington Corinthians had played three matches during their visit to Manila, winning one and drawing two.

In their opening game on March 9 they had a clear-cut victory over an All-Chinese XI, scoring nine times without reply. In the second game, against the University of Santo Tomas, the English soccer tourists were held to a goalless draw, and against La Salle on March 13 they were again held to a goalless draw.

According to Manila newspapers just to hand, the Corinthians won their first match easily and fulfilled expectations as they "out-passed, out-kicked and completely out-played the Chinese."

When they met the U.S.T., however, the Islington Corinthians found themselves up against a team which had a nine-men defence. They had never experienced anything like it before in the course of their present tour. Describing the match, the Manila Bulletin said:

"The play for at least nine-tenths of the game was in U.S.T. territory and the British team missed a score of opportunities because U.S.T. massed players all around the goal... honours of the evening went to Moranda, U.S.T. goalie, who played a beautiful game and made save after save, getting the hardest work-out that any goalie has had in years..."

UNNECESSARY ROUGHNESS

"The game was marked by any amount of unnecessary roughness and though countless fouls were made, few were called... the game was outplayed by some pretty terrible sportsmanship on the part of the crowd who booed the visitors time and time again when they missed tries and the good sportsmen in the crowd were rather disgusted..."

"Quite a few players hobbled off the field after the hostilities came to a close... worst casualty was Sheppard, who received a cut on the head..."

As regards the game with La Salle, the Bulletin states that the local men matched the visitors in every department and gave them a good fight. "It seemed the Corinthians were out to get even after experiencing the 'roughing-it-up' handed to them by Santo Tomas... they were a little rough with La Salle," says the paper. "Moreover, they protested against a number of decisions. There were many plays described as against local rules, but appeared legal to the visitors. The visitors were playing the game according to international rules and, being Englishmen, they should know the regulations of the British favourite game, it was declared. On the other hand, it was explained local rules cannot be disregarded. Under the circumstances, it was suggested it would be a good thing to bring the players and referees together and discuss the rules to be followed in the remaining games scheduled with the Corinthians."

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Montreal	4.90	4.97 1/2
Brussels	29.59 1/2	29.52 1/2
Yokohama	1/2	1/2 1/2
Belgrade	218	677 1/2
Bucharest	87 1/2	21 1/2
Montevideo	248	248
Rio de Janeiro	20 1/2	20 1/2
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—British Wireless



Exotic Anna May Wong heads the cast of "Daughter of Shanghai," the thrilling drama based on the alien smuggling racket which opens to-day at the Queen's. "Daughter of Shanghai" is Miss Wong's first picture in three years.

WEEKLY
HOCKEY
NOTES

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the runners-up position in the Caer Clark Cup. A replay between these two teams will be necessary and will probably take place next Saturday week. Should the Saints strike the same form as they did against the champions, I can see them winning the Southern Cup. Keep it up, the Saints!

LADIES' League fixtures for Saturday are:
CAER CLARK CUP
"Y" Ladies v. C.B.A. ("Y" ground, 3 p.m.)
BRAWN CUP
St. Andrew's v. C.B.A. (C.B.A. ground, 3 p.m.)

The following players will take part in the United Hockey Clubs' International Tournament match (first round) between England and India on the Police Training School ground at 5 p.m. to-day:

England (white shirts): Dobson (R.E.); Robinson (R.A.F.); Stickey (Middlesex); Whetton (R.E.); Brown (Police); Guest (Radio); S. Fowler (C.B.A.); Howlett (Police); G. Fowler (C.B.A.); Dunne (Middlesex); and Bond (C.B.A.). Reserves: Gorman (Middlesex); Parker (Police) and Smith (C.B.A.).

India (red shirts): Behari Singh (R.R.); Gursing Singh (Kumaons); Thok Singh (Kumaons); Tara Singh (H.K.S.R.A.); Ghulam Rasul (R.R.); Malik (K.I.T.C.); Teja Singh (Police); Pritam Nath (R.R.); Pyara Singh (K.I.T.C.); Gurbachan Singh (Radio) and Partab Singh (Kumaons). Reserves: Nana Ram (R.R.); Khuda Bux (H.K.S.R.A.) and Booda Singh (Police).

MR. S. H. Ling of the Hongkong University, China's representative, makes a last appeal for players desirous of representing China in the International Hockey Tournament. Will players communicate with him as soon as possible so that a trial may be arranged in preparation for the final game?

THE United Clubs' International Tournament commences this afternoon and is in no way connected with the H.K.H.A. International Tournament. The teams chosen for the former may in some respects be similar to the latter, though the majority of players may be chosen for both. India's team for the

H.K.H.A. International tournament has not been announced as yet, nor have those of several other countries. I have been given to understand, however, that India's team has been selected and it will be seen in a trial game shortly. There is no need for Indian supporters to be perturbed, as the Indian representative is turning out the best team available.

ENGLAND will be without the services of Victor Bond, their star left-winger, this afternoon as he is nursing an injured ankle sustained in a friendly game last Sunday. He is to have a rest for at least two weeks.

Scottish
Trial Not
Impressive
Team Selected
Yesterday

The few spectators who were present to see the Club play the Scottish trial team at King's Park yesterday afternoon found little to arouse their enthusiasm. The game ended in a draw of 1-1.

Several changes were made in the Scottish team during the first half and during a ragged display the Club scored through S. A. Fowler, off a centre by Bickford from the left wing. In the second half, Scotland showed some superiority in general team work and Patterson put them on level terms after 15 minutes play. Douglas and Loch were also prominent in the attack. Neave, Fraser and McLellan formed a useful trio of half backs, with Harland and Wallace a safe pair of hard-hitting backs. Waddell, in goal, showed smartness in keeping out shots from the opposing attack, but a rather fancy Wilson though he let in a goal in the first half.

The Club fielded a weakened team and it was a more than creditable feat on their part to draw with Scotland. They did the bulk of the attacking, with Fowler, T. Whitley and Bickford showing advantage in the matter of speed—if not opportunity. N. Whitley and the Reed brothers were the best defenders. Berwell was safe in goal.

Scotland receives a bye in the first round, but her representatives will have to ginger up the approach work of the forwards if they hope to give India a game in the second round.

Following the match, the following were selected to represent Scotland

FIRE CONTROLLED
IN WANCHAI

A small fire broke out in the kitchen of No. 2 Sile On Terrace, Wanchai, about 10.20 a.m. to-day. The terrace, which is a very old building and inhabited by very poor people, is off Ship Street and backed by Schooner Street.

The fire started was on the second floor, and the flames were extinguished after about 20 minutes by the Fire Brigade, which sent four appliances to the scene.

The Emergency Unit of the police was also despatched. No one was injured, all the inmates having evacuated as soon as the alarm was given.

POLICE TRANSFERS
ANNOUNCED

Latest transfers in the Hongkong Police Force include the following: Inspector M. H. Hourihan to Central as Divisional Inspector vice Inspector R. Shannon, who is retiring on pension on Saturday; Detective-Inspector J. O'Donovan to Yau-mat vice Detective-Sub-Inspector R. Cunningham, who is proceeding on leave; Sub-Inspector P. Kellett, from Wanchai, to Yau-mat vice Sub-Inspector T. Collins, proceeding on leave; Detective-Sergeant A. Cochran, from Police Headquarters, to Water Police, vice Detective-Sergeant B. V. Hutchinson, proceeding on leave.

TEMPERATURE
RISES

Warmer weather is now being experienced in the Colony, the temperature at 10 a.m. to-day being 63 as compared with the corresponding reading of 58 yesterday. The maximum temperature yesterday was 60 and the minimum 58.

PORTUGAL TO STUDY
COLONIAL DEFENCE

Lisbon, Mar. 16.
The Portuguese Government is sending a military mission to Portugal's African and other colonies to study problems of colonial defence.—Reuter Bulletin.

CLOUSTON PASSES
OVER KARACHI

Karachi, Mar. 17.
Flying Officer Clouston and Mr. Victor Ricketts, who are attempting a record flight from England to Australia and New Zealand, passed Karachi at 11.40 p.m. last night.—Reuter.

In the international tournament.—Waddell (Royal Scots); Cpl. Harland (Royal Scots); Flt. Lt. Wallace (R.A.F.); Capt. D. McLellan (Y.M.C.A.); Sgt. Fraser (Royal Scots); N. Whitley (Club); Capt. Macdonald-Kennedy (Royal Scots); Lt. Douglas (Royal Scots); Capt. Loch (Kumaons); Lt. Patterson (Royal Scots); Drum Major Detman (Royal Scots); Reserves, L/Cpl. Neave (Royal Scots); Plie. Mickle (Royal Scots).

INTERNATIONAL
TOURNAMENT DRAW

The following is the draw of the H.K.H.A. International Tournament, the first round of which will be played on Thursday, March 24: Wales v. England; Portugal v. China; India v. Ireland; Scotland (bye) v. winners of India-Ireland tie

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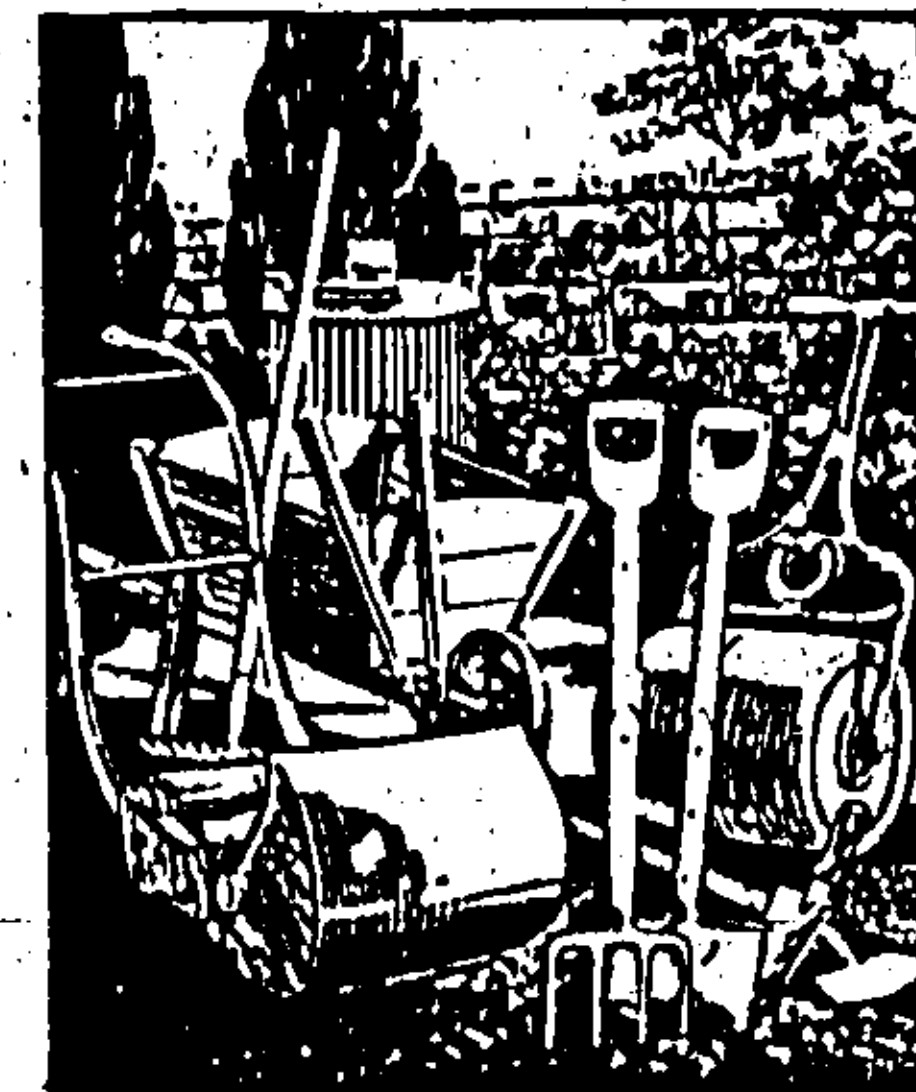
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PERFECT MURDERS GO WRONG

GENERALLY speaking there are two sorts of murder—premeditated and unpremeditated: so there are roughly two types of murderer; first, the man who thinks the whole thing out carefully and does it; and second, the one who just does it and thinks afterwards.

The murder committed, both find themselves confronted with the same difficulty—the disposal of the body.

And it sometimes happens that the second type of murderer, his brain clarified by the realization of his fearful deed and his own danger, produces, with the sudden brilliancy of panic, the better scheme for getting rid of the body of his victim.

This type, luckily, is rare, and is usually confined to murderers of "artistic" nature, on whose highly strung nerves fear has a "tonic" effect.

ALL WORKED OUT

THE most cunning kind of criminal is the one who, having worked out his murder, decides on one of two post-murder courses of action.

He decides that he will either "discover" the murder himself and trust to the excellence of his own method to allay suspicion, or to throw it on someone else; or else he plans the complete destruction of the victim's body, knowing that the police must have a body before they can bring a charge.

The most striking case of the first type that I can discover is that of the murder of a woman which took place in an American town early last year.

The woman was presumed to have been killed by the accidental explosion of a shot gun, supposed to have been unloaded, which had been handed to her to see how she liked it by the man who, immediately afterwards, reported her death from the explosion that ensued.

A detective reasoned that if the woman had been handed a gun loaded with a dynamite charge, the murderer would have used one of the shot cartridges which fitted the gun, extracted the pellets and powder, and inserted the dynamite charge in their place. He would then throw the extracted powder and pellets away.

The detective found the pellets, as he had anticipated, caught in the joint of a drain pipe.

The suspected man, confronted with the evidence and a police photograph of the murdered woman, broke down and confessed.

But for his carelessness in disposing of the pellets he would have escaped.

BLAZING CAR CRIME

AN outstanding example of the second type of murderer (the wise one) who plans complete destruction of the body, thereby obviating any possibility of identifying the victim, is, in my opinion, Alfred Rouse.

Rouse—who was a logical and clear-thinking murderer of the Landru (the French "Bluebeard") type—decided that the best means of disposal of his victim was by burning the body in his own car.

He knew that providing the body was destroyed sufficiently to prevent adequate identification, no suspicion would attach to himself, as he had had no previous connection with the victim.

Unfortunately for him, his concentration on the completion of his crime or the state of his nerves was such that he omitted to hear the footsteps of some young men who were approaching.

He stepped out of the shadow of a hedge, and they saw and questioned him about the burning car. This incident, unforeseen, as usual, led Rouse to the gallows.

RUXTON'S MISTAKES

IF we seek a case where the murderer used diabolical cunning in the prosecution of his plot only to nullify all his thought by two foolish mistakes, we need not look farther than that of Dr. Buck Ruxton, of Lancaster.

Ruxton planned the cold-blooded murder of his wife. He killed her, dismembered the body surgically, and disposed of the remains over an area 100 miles distant from his home. Yet all this detailed forethought was not sufficient to prevent this extraordinary murderer from wrapping part of his dead wife's torso in a blouse which belonged to his own servant maid, a process which finally brought the crime back to his own home.

Not content with this, he actually presented his suit, which still bore

says
Peter Cheyney

Crime has been
his life study

blood-stains, to the charwoman who came to the house to clean. How to dispose of the body? That is the question. It is one which interests many innocent people who, reading of a murder case, discuss—as the most peaceably minded of us do—"what they would do."

That is the question which every murderer must ask himself when he stands face to face with the mute and accusing body of his victim.

What will the police do? Where will they look?

Shall he bury it as deeply as possible as Wiedmann buried a victim? Shall he take lonely cottages and cut up, distribute, bury, and burn as Landru did?

Shall he use the technique of the surgeon; study books of anatomy so that his knife may dissect into small pieces a body that may be hidden here and there?

But there is always the head. What shall he do with the head? Shall he use an acid and a bath? But the acid must be obtained, and chemists ask questions and sometimes remember faces.

SEEN BY LOVERS

ALWAYS the unforeseen is there. Some lovers walking in the moonlight see and remember a strange sight; a child playing in the sunlight finds a human hand.

The brain of a murderer may be clever and cool, but it cannot see into the future; it cannot obviate that one mistake—or if there is no mistake—that "unforeseen happening" that sets the best plan wrong.

But murderers are egotists. If they were not they might think it easier, more hopeful, to turn the knife against themselves.

Esquimaux Twins



A proud Esquimaux mother from Northern Alaska who has undertaken the long travel by sledge to the nearest photographer to get her new born twins photographed. The babies are sleeping well, untouched by the hard cold.

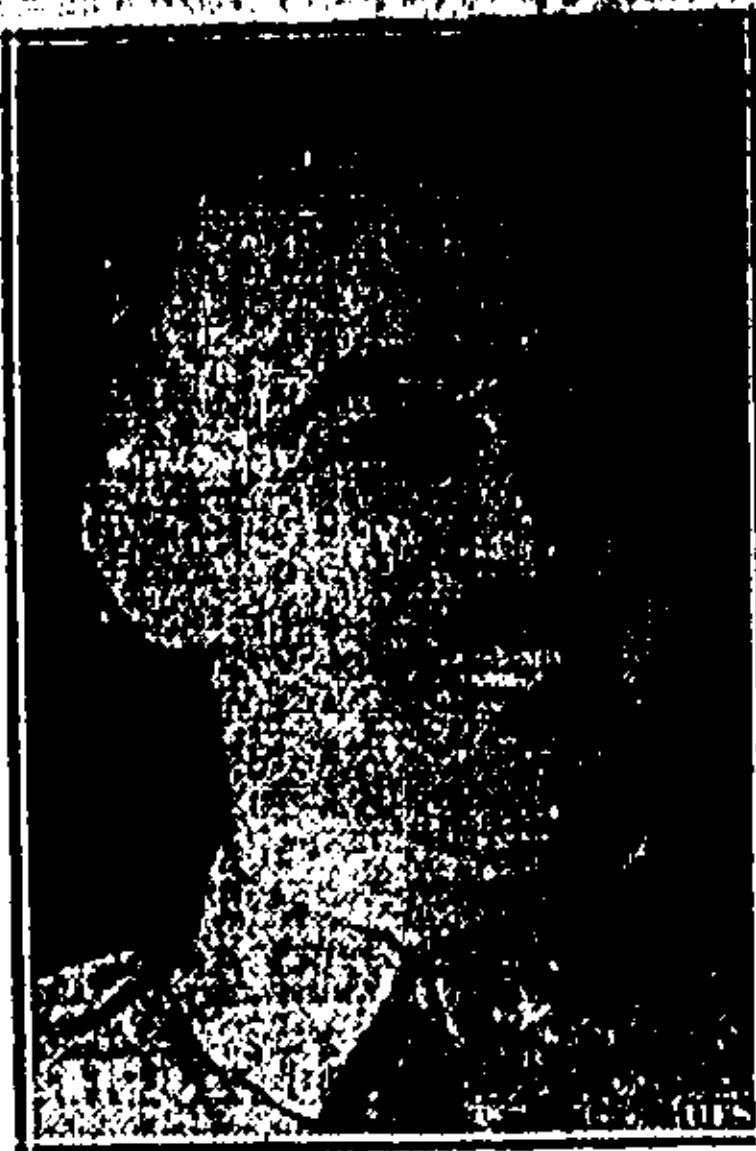
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ANSWERS

- (a) No; (b) Yes; (c) Yes; (d) No; (e) No; (f) Yes.
- Hohenzollern.
- 1901.
- Antigua, St. Kitts.
- Gregorian.
- Vice-Chancellor.
- Cricketer (York); Rugby football (Hartlepool and England); Soccer (West Bromwich Albion); Coursing (Waterloo Cup); Racing (Lincolnshire Handicap); Polo.
- Napoleon.
- Winchester, Salisbury, York, Rochester, Durham, Ely.
- Hdt.
- Elphaz, Bildad and Zophar.
- (a) No, (b) yes, (c) yes, (d) no.
- 13.
- Meissen.
- 44.
- Quelopo de Llano, Yague.
- Aranda, Davila.
- German black bread.
- SOS.

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Generalissimo Francisco Franco, insurgent leader, who has made himself President-dictator of a reorganised insurgent regime in Spain, insurgent supporters learned of the appointment with the issue of the official bulletin, in a decree signed by "El Caudillo" (the Chief). The General sets up 12 ministries, which, with under-secretaries, will carry on the central administration.

NEW RECORDS

DANCE records in the latest lists include a number of Parlophone issues that should be tried out. I find the most attractive are "If I had you" and its reverse side "Dinah," two pieces of swing that are admirably played by Eddie Carroll's band.

These are good dancing swing, as is also a fox-trot called "Once in a while," played by Victor Silvester's band, with an agreeable waltz, "Glennina mia," on its reverse.

The latest Leslie Hutchinson couple, "Please remember" and "My gipsy dream girl," show all his charmingness as a pianist and his very personal manner of getting a song over.

There is a useful fox-trot Medley and another of waltzes (three each), made by Billy Thorburn for the usual combination of piano, fiddle and drums.

MASTER LOUGH who rose to fame as a Temple choirboy, has now reappeared as Mister Ernest Lough.

He has made an H.M.V. double-side. He has a pleasing baritone voice, which he uses decently and without any vocal trickery.

THE first of the new Columbia records I have played this month is one of Chopin's Piano Sonata in B flat minor. The pianist is Kiley.

This record is excellent. There is a Chopin Mazurka on the sixth side which also is extremely well played. Another blue ribbon production is the H.M.V. record of Cesar Franck's Violin Sonata. The players are Heifetz and Arthur Rubinstein.

Experience has taught one that great names, though possessed by players who are magnificent each in their own sphere, do not of necessity combine into a workable ensemble. But in this case there is nothing to complain of.

The record is eminently satisfactory. Of the individual playing nothing can be said that is not highly complimentary.

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(b) Brussels
(c) Vienna
(d) Rome
(e) Dublin
(f) Helsingfors
- Carol of Rummla belongs to the House of:—
Alba Julia
Kara George
Romanoff
Hohenzollern
Hapsburg
Saxe-Coburg
- The Boy Scout movement started in:—
1900
1910
1918
1908
1914
1920
- Which of these are Leeward Isles:—
Barbados
Antigua
St. Kitts
Bahamas
Bermuda
Trinidad
- Our calendar is called the:—
Julian
Sheldonian
Gregorian
Martian
Pompeian
Amphibian
- The administrative head of Cambridge University is the:—
Dean
Principal
Warden
Provost
Vice-Chancellor
Master
- What sports or games take place at:—
Headingley
Twickenham
The Hawthorns
Althorpe
The Carholme
Hurlingham
- One of these was the first King of Italy:—
Romulus
Victor
Emmanuel I.
Franz Joseph
Don Carlos
Napoleon
Constantine
The Great
- Which bishop writes after his name the word:—
Winton
Sarum
Ebor
Roffen
Dunelm
Eliou
- A gibus is the name of a:—
French officer wrongly accused of spying
Lizard
Jawelin
Hat
Dorsetshire gesture
Early vehicle
- Job's comforters were:—
Joab, Abihah and Aethel.
Dathan, Korah and Abiram.
Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego.
Caspas, Melchior and Balthazar.
Elphaz, Bildad and Zophar.
- Is the civil ceremony essential for a lawful marriage in:—
(a) Scotland
(b) France
(c) Germany
(d) U.S.A.
- A baker's dozen is:—
7
15
9
8
11
13
- The first European china was made at:—
Sevres
Meissen
Derby
Copenhagen
Venice
Chelsea
- A groat was worth:—
10d.
A shilling
Twenty-five shillings
4d.
5d.
Five shillings
- Which of these Spanish insurgent leaders is still alive:—
Quelopo de Llano
Mola
Sanjurjo
Yague
Aranda
Davila
- Pumpkinickel is:—
One of Grimm's Fairy Tales
Hitler's police chief
The Austrian name of Father Christmas
A Swedish dramatist
German black bread
- What signal is this:—

Our BOXERS Have Never Learnt HOW to HIT

Declares

PAT MURPHY

NOT very long ago I asked Lord Londale why it was that England, the cradle and the home of boxing, had not produced a good heavy-weight boxer for years.

His primary explanation was this: "Most of the big, strong, athletic boys go into football nowadays, and that is the chief reason why they are absent from our rings."

Well, football may be robbing the ring in some measure, but I have made careful observation during the past year and I think there is a further explanation.

Some months ago The Daily Mail organised a series of competitions for amateur boxing, and I was one of the competitors. I was in an effort to unearth a promising heavy-weight and put him on the right lines to follow the great English champions of far too many years ago.

Now the very basis of that enterprise was a "clear intention" that the young man who emerged as winner should receive proper tuition. This was the successful competitor, Jack Smith, of Worcester, is getting.

I watched half a dozen contests recently between men of all weights, and in no contest did I see one who showed the least evidence of having been properly taught to box.

The amount of energy that was wasted, the powerful punches that disturbed nothing but the air, evoked sympathy, but not admiration. It happened that I was sitting next to two of the most experienced men in the game.

"Why can't these fellows land their punches?" I asked one of them during an interval.

"Never been properly taught," was the reply.

"No, they will just go from fight to fight until the vitality has been beaten out of them."

The principles of good boxing are simple, and they enable a man to protect himself from an opponent's power and to land his own punches. Every boxer should know these principles, and every boxer should be taught them.

fellows? They show promise in some novice affair, are taken up by a manager, sent to work in a gymnasium, given a few tips, and then started on a series of fights.

Those with superb physique or a natural hard punch beat a few tenth-weights; gradually work their way up among the fifth-weighters, and then are launched against some fairly good foreigner.

They are usually beaten, and remain chopping-blocks for other rising young men for years to come.

Futile Swinging

THERE are a number of boxers, "past their prime" in this country who are really skilled and quite capable of turning a promising slugger into a boxer able to use his weight, speed, and intelligence and become a champion.

Timing and balance have far more to do with victory in the ring than rushing and banging and swinging. If I were the full-time of the Farr-Bradock fight before it was released, and I think anyone with even a rudimentary knowledge of the art of boxing will agree with me when I say that Farr could have won decisively if only he had stood up and punched straight and hard.

Swinging and banging and jumping is of no use against a man who keeps his eye on your chin and hits it the moment you are coming from your hiding place on the floor.

Petersen's Lapse

I WATCHED Jack Petersen in his second fight with Walter Neusel.

Any man who could stand before Neusel and punch his face at long range would beat him with comparative ease.

For the space of one minute in the eighth round of that second fight Petersen shot straight lefts at Neusel's face. Neusel was powerless and helplessly hit his mercy.

For that brief minute Petersen was boxing in the manner a real boxer would have chosen for him. Then, for no reason at all, he stopped, and Neusel closed in on him and continued hammering at his ribs.

A fight that Petersen should have won easily he lost hopelessly. I saw that the coloured Canadian, Primo Carnera, in London, just before the Italian became champion of the world and when Galus was entering the veteran ring purely by the aid of his polished boxing gloves, he was head of the M.C.C. (Mouth and Chin Club) and he was our champion heavy-weight.

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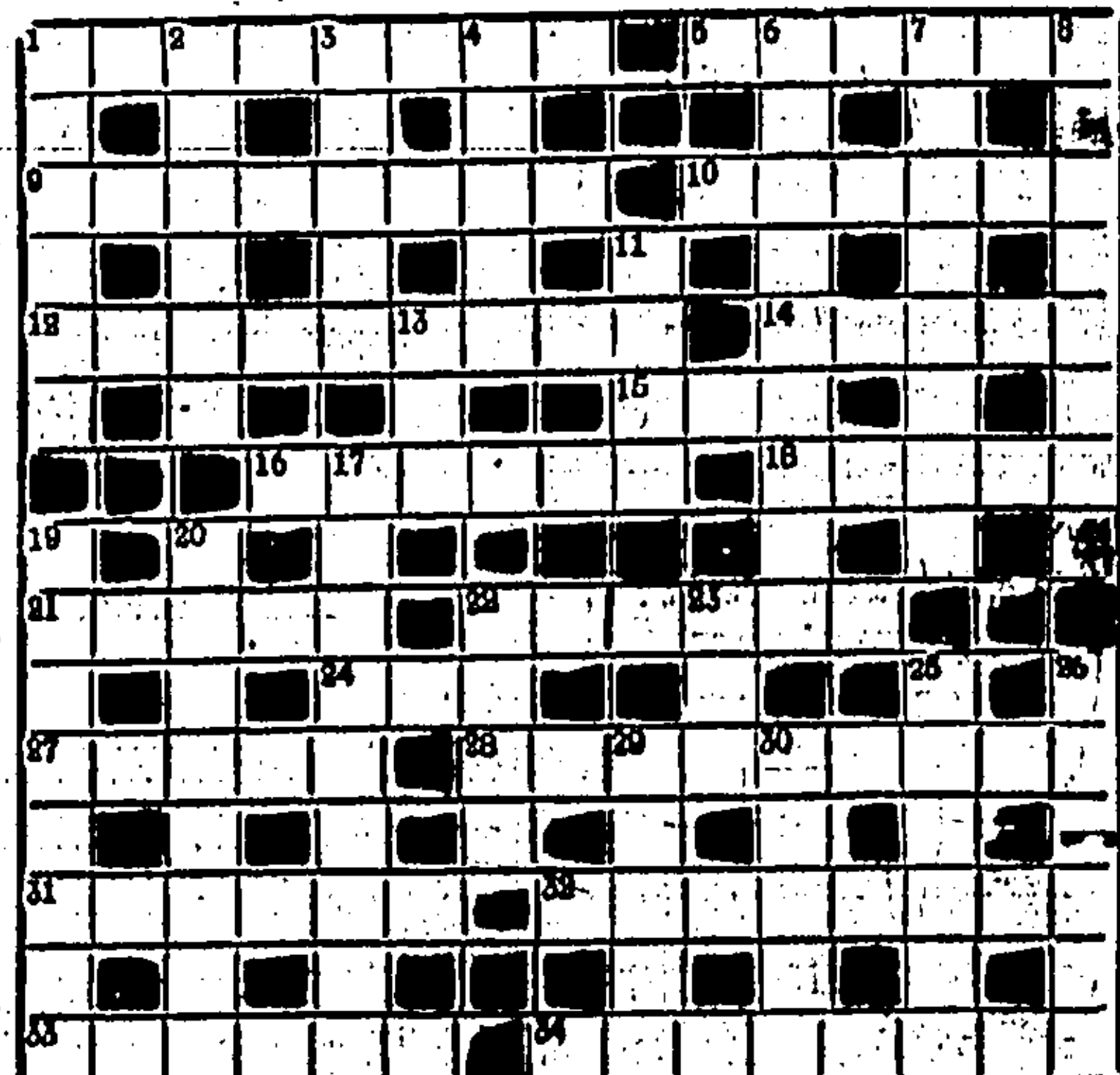
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- This comes from bad use of course (6).
- A court to court command (6).
- To get this plant just cut round everything (6).
- Legal ties are enough to make laws (9).
- Foreign coin (5).
- Payment (3).
- A grand time of the year? (6).
- A salt is obtained from these mountains (6).
- Assorted (5).
- A good game; they say there's a lot in it (6).
- Blind (3).
- This man was feared when jelly (5).
- Should the canber be made of this wood? (9).
- Musical instrument (8).
- These seasons deal with bar interests in a way (8).
- Surrender (6).
- Of course a car that lost these parts would itself be lost (8).

DOWN.

- Here you see me in pious surroundings. It is quite simple and plain (6).
- Minority (6).
- An alloy (5).
- Feminine name (8).
- This workers' meal is apparently a vegetarian one (9).
- This word may be only part of a word (8).
- Bad at the spear in the wrestling match (8).
- Skilled (6) (11) (14) (17) (20) (23) (26) (29) (32) (35) (38) (41) (44) (47) (50) (53) (56) (59) (62) (65) (68) (71) (74) (77) (80) (83) (86) (89) (92) (95) (98) (101) (104) (107) (110) (113) (116) (119) (122) (125) (128) (131) (134) (137) (140) (143) (146) (149) (152) (155) (158) (161) (164) (167) (170) (173) (176) (179) (182) (185) (188) (191) (194) (197) (200) (203) (206) (209) (212) (215) (218) (221) (224) (227) (230) (233) (236) (239) (242) (245) (248) (251) (254) (257) (260) (263) (266) (269) (272) (275) (278) (281) (284) (287) (290) (293) (296) (299) (302) (305) (308) (311) (314) (317) (320) (323) (326) (329) (332) (335) (338) (341) (344) (347) (350) (353) (356) (359) (362) (365) (368) (371) (374) (377) (380) (383) (386) (389) (392) (395) (398) (401) (404) (407) (410) (413) (416) (419) (422) (425) (428) (431) (434) (437) (440) (443) (446) (449) (452) (455) (458) (461) (464) (467) (470) (473) (476) (479) (482) (485) (488) (491) (494) (497) (500) (503) (506) (509) (512) (515) (518) (521) (524) (527) (530) (533) (536) (539) (542) (545) (548) (551) (554) (557) (560) (563) (566) (569) (572) (575) (578) (581) (584) (587) (590) (593) (596) (599) (602) (605) (608) (611) (614) (617) (620) (623) (626) (629) (632) (635) (638) (641) (644) (647) (650) (653) (656) (659) (662) (665) (668) (671) (674) (677) (680) (683) (686) (689) (692) (695) (698) (701) (704) (707) (710) (713) (716) (719) (722) (725) (728) (731) (734) (737) (740) (743) (746) (749) (752) (755) (758) (761) (764) (767) (770) (773) (776) (779) (782) (785) (788) (791) (794) (797) (800) (803) (806) (809) (812) (815) (818) (821) (824) (827) (830) (833) (836) (839) (842) (845) (848) (851) (854) (857) (860) (863) (866) (869) (872) (875) (878) (881) (884) (887) (890) (893) (896) (899) (902) (905) (908) (911) (914) (917) (920) (923) (926) (929) (932) (935) (938) (941) (944) (947) (950) (953) (956) (959) (962) (965) (968) (971) (974) (977) (980) (983) (986) (989) (992) (995) (998) (1001) (1004) (1007) (1010) (1013) (1016) (1019) (1022) (1025) (1028) (1031) (1034) (1037) (1040) (1043) (1046) (1049) (1052) (1055) (1058) (1061) (1064) (1067) (1070) (1073) (1076) (1079) (1082) (1085) (1088) (1091) (1094) (1

JAPAN TO POPULATE NEW AREA

1,500,000 Youths To Be Emigrated To Manchukuo

Tokyo, Mar. 17. Mass emigration of about 1,500,000 youths to Manchukuo over a period of 20 years will be started in the fiscal year beginning April 1, according to the plans of the Overseas Ministry, which will call for appropriations amounting to ¥5,500,000 during the first year.

A bill requesting the appropriations will be introduced to the Diet shortly as a supplementary budget account.

During 1938, 30,000 youths will be sent to Manchukuo. The plan is to parallel another 20 year programme now in effect, which is designed to transplant 1,000,000 families to Manchukuo.

The new emigration programme will be limited to unmarried youths between the ages of 10 and 19, who will be given every training necessary for engaging in collective farming in Manchuria.—Reuter Special.

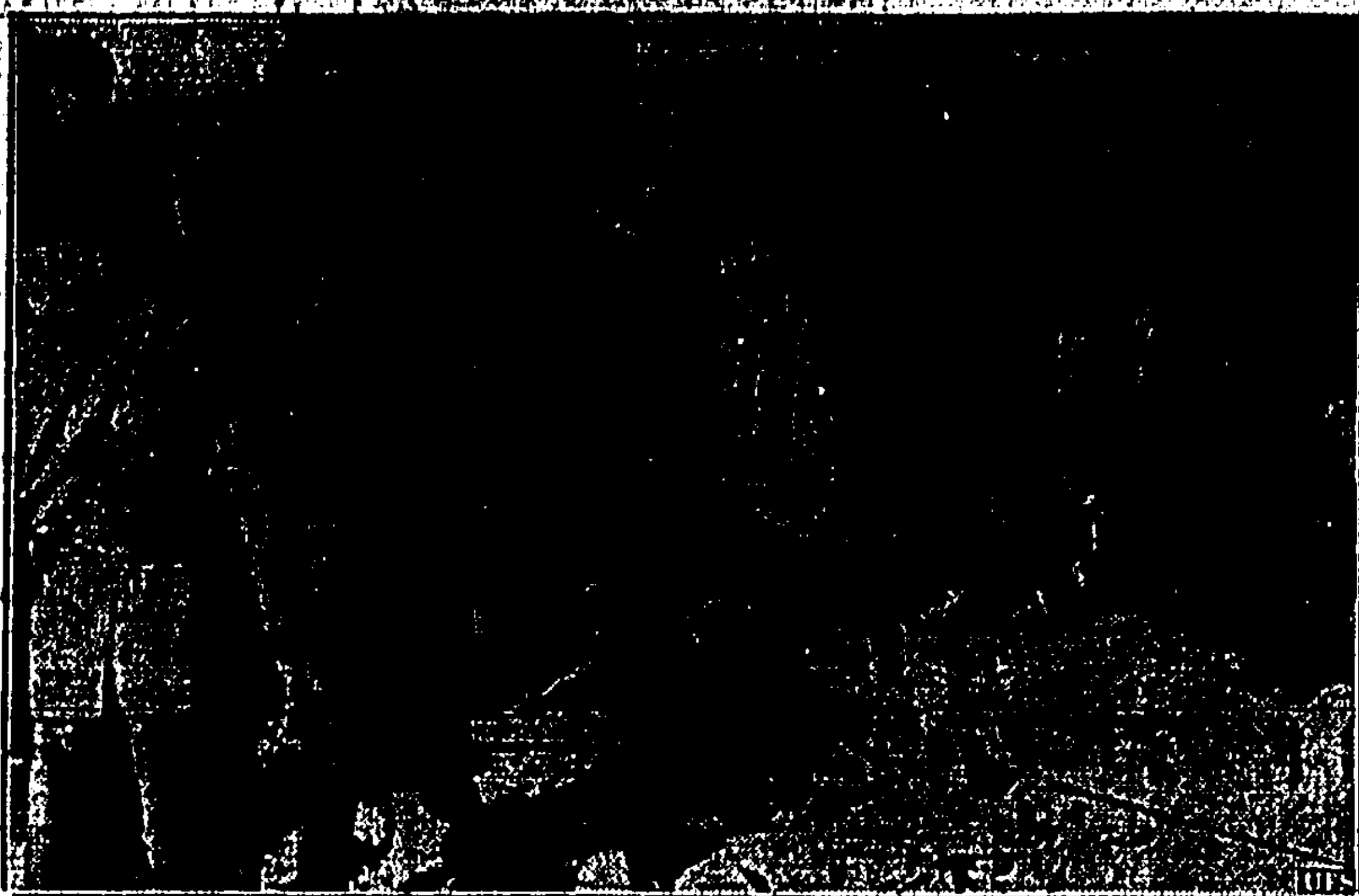
STUDY EFFECTS OF CHINA'S NEW EXCHANGE RULE

London, Mar. 16. A question by Col. A. C. Moreing in the House of Commons to-day about the Chinese Government's restrictions for purchasing foreign exchange elicited the reply from Mr. R. A. Butler, Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Labour, to the effect that at present he was not prepared to say whether the arrangements made will cause avoidable difficulties in British trade, but the position will be closely watched from this viewpoint.—Reuter.

WINTER OLYMPICS FOR JAPAN

Cairo, Mar. 16. The World Olympics Committee decided to-day that the Winter Olympics should be held at Sapporo in Japan, but that skiing should be eliminated from the Games in view of differences between the International Ski Federation and the International Olympic rules.—Reuter.

INSURGENTS NEARING BARCELONA



FLIERS KILL 200 IN BARCELONA—Intending to terrify the inhabitants and break down the Loyalist morale, as well as to promote the insurgent cause in the Spanish war, insurgent bombers roared over Barcelona, subjecting the city to its severest punishment of the war. At least 200 civilians were killed. Here are Red Cross workers searching apartment house ruins.

Philippines Issue To Be Dropped

Congress Temper Is Against Changes

Washington, Mar. 16. It is authoritatively stated that some prominent officials of the Administration have advised President Roosevelt to delay any legislation relating to the Philippines political status, until at least the next session, or until the situation in the Far East clears up.

Leaders are said to have told President Roosevelt that any proposal at present for extending the transition period of Philippine independence would be overwhelmingly defeated in the House, and probably by a substantial margin in the Senate, as congressional sentiment at present is strongly in favour of America withdrawing from the Far East.

These advisers told President Roosevelt that if a proposal for immediate independence were to reach the floor in the present session it would most

Japan Builds New Luxury Ocean Liners

Tokyo, March 17. The construction of three luxury liners, designed expressly for the transportation of visitors to the Olympic Games in 1940, is announced by the N.Y.K.

The keel of the first of the three liners will be laid in May, and all three vessels will be completed before 1940.

They will each have a displacement tonnage of 10,500 and a speed of 22 knots.

Following the termination of the Games, the ships will be placed on the European run.—Reuter.

likely become an enactment by a large majority.

It is on that basis that prominent leaders of the House predicted that there would be no political legislation this session, while some well-informed circles believe that all legislative questions regarding the Philippines will be deferred for at least a year, probably for two years.—United Press.

Royal Mail Still Quoted As Favourite

Final Acceptances In Grand National

London, Mar. 16. The final acceptances for the Grand National steeplechase at Aintree next week are as follows: Royal Mail, Algeadros, Coolen, Pontet, Battleship, Royal Danelli, Dominick Cross, Davy Jones, Dunhill Castle, Inverleith, Red Freeman, De La Chance, Takvorpacha; Rock Quilla, Dawman, Provocative, Whinny, Yough, Lough, Cottage, Froisher, Bachelor, Prince, Blue Prince, Cabin Fire, Rock Lad, Santa Luz, Hopeful Hero, Underbid; Workman, Brighter, Cottage, Dideric, St. Albridge Park, Prominent Lad, Blue Shirt, Tapinois, Pencerik, Hurdy-gurdy Man, Drim, Lazy Boots, Red Knight II, Emancipator and K.D.H.

Royal Mail continued to be quoted as favourite in the call-over to-night. There was some backing for Rock Quilla and Dominick Cross as a result of their finishing first and second in the Grand National Trial Chase over 2½ miles at Hurst Park on Saturday. The horses were carrying 10 st. 9 lbs and 11 stone respectively, and Rock Quilla won by a neck.

Mrs. Camille Evans, Edwardian stage beauty, recent purchaser of the favourite, Royal Mail, is ill with bronchitis, but she hopes to be fit to see the Royal Mail run at Aintree. The latest call-over prices are:

GRAND NATIONAL
100 to 7 Royal Mail
15 to 1 Blue Shirt (t and o)
15 to 1 Takvorpacha (o) 16 to 1 (t)
20 to 1 De La Chance
22 to 1 Dunhill Castle and Coolen (t and o)
22 to 1 Dominick Cross (o) 25 to 1 (t)
25 to 1 St. Albridge Park (o)
25 to 1 Rock Quilla and Algeadros (o) 28 to 1 (t)

LINCOLNSHIRE
Discord and Laurent II were scratched from the Lincolnshire today, when it was also announced that Gordon Richards, champion jockey, would ride Moody. The call-over prices ruled as follows:
100 to 8 Belami (o) 100 to 7 (t)
100 to 8 Galsonia (t and o)
100 to 8 Squadron Castle (o) 16 to 1 (t)
16 to 1 Thankerton and Phokos (o) 20 to 1 (t)
20 to 1 Moe Mount and Zelmis
33 to 1 Lone Mount and Zelmis
40 to 1 Mythicalray (t and o) —Reuter.

Madrid To Comb Out Traitors

Madrid, Mar. 16. Special tribunals to deal with cases of treason, espionage and defection opened in Madrid today. They will judge all cases within 48 hours after arrest. The penalties, which will be heavy, must be ratified by the High Tribunal for Espionage in Barcelona. Appeals will not be allowed, and the sentences will be carried out immediately.—Reuter Special.

SNATCH THIEF CAUGHT

Charged with the theft of a gold watch worth £10 from a widow in Des Voeux Road yesterday, Lau Tse-ming, 33, appeared before Mr. H. R. Butters at the Central Magistracy this morning. Inspector W. Mair said defendant came from behind the woman, snatched the watch, and passed it to an accomplice, who escaped. Defendant was chased and arrested by a Chinese constable. A remand of 24 hours was ordered to ascertain prisoner's fitness for a hearing.

JAPANESE ARREST RUSSIANS

Torture Alleged In Effort To Obtain Knowledge

Moscow, Mar. 16. Another Soviet steamer, the Kuznetskiy, has been detained by the Japanese at Hakodate since last Wednesday, and some of the crew imprisoned, according to messages received here.

It is reported that the crew and passengers were taken to police headquarters where some, it is alleged, were tortured to obtain information from them.

It is suggested here that the Japanese want to detain the Russians in order to exchange them for Japanese imprisoned in Soviet Russia for alleged spying.—Reuter.

SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of local share quotations issued this morning:

Banks
H.K. Banks, \$1,570 n.
H.K. Banks, (Lon. Reg.), £85 n.
Chartered Banks, £11½ n.
Mercantile Bank, A. and B., £229 n.
Mercantile Bank, C., £14 n.
East Asia Bank, \$80 n.
Insurances
Canton Ins., \$275 n.
Nippon Ins., \$540 n.
China Underwriters, \$2½ n.
H.K. Fire Ins., \$245 s.
Shipping
Douglas, \$65 b.
H.K. Steamboats, \$12½ b.
Indo-China (Prof.), \$51 n.
Indo-China (Def.), \$24 n.
Shell Bearer, 80/7½ n.
Union Waterboats, \$9½ n.
Docks etc.
H.K. & W. Wharves, \$138 n.
H.K. W. Docks, \$34½ sa.
Providents (old), \$3.00/55 sa.
Providents (new), \$1.00/55 sa.
New Engineering, \$1½ sa.
Shanghai Docks, \$100 n.
Kallan Mining Adm., 16/- n.
Rauhs, \$7.00 n.
Venz: Goldfield, \$4 n.
Hongkong Mines 10 cts. n.
Philippine Mining
Antamoks, P. 34 sa.
Atoke, P. 22 sa.
Baguio Gold, P. 21½ sa.
Benguet Consol., P. 9.00 sa.
Benguet Explo., —
Big Wedge, P. —
Coco Groves, P. 58 sa.
Consolidated Mines, P. 31 sa.
Demonstrations, P. 37 sa.
E. Mindanao, P. —
Gumaos G'ields, P. —
Ip, Gold, P. —
Ip, P. 75 sa.
Itogon, P. —
Masbate Consols., P. —
Min. Resources, P. —
Northern Min., P. —
Paracale Gumaos, P. 21 sa.
Salacot Mining, P. —
San Mauricio, P. 52 sa.
Suyoc Consol., P. 18½ sa.
United Consols., P. 41½ sa.
Lands, Hotels, etc.
H. and S. Hotels, \$6.80 sa.
H.K. Lands, \$30½ n.
H.K. Lands, 4% Deben \$100 b.
Shai Lands, Sh. \$7 n.
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. —
Humphries, \$9½ sa.
H.K. Realities, \$5.95 sa.
Chinese Estates, \$95 b.
China Realities, Sh. —
China Deben, —
Public Utilities
H.K. Tramways, \$15.40 b. and sa.
Peak Trams (old), \$7 b.
Peak Trams (new), \$3½ n.
Star Ferries, \$84½ n.
Yaumatei Ferries (old), \$28½ b.
China Light (old), \$12½ b.
China Light (new), \$30.30 b.
H.K. Electric, \$60 sa.
Macao Electric, \$10½ n.
Sandakan Lights, \$13½ b.
Telephone (old), \$27½ n.
Telephone (new), \$10.00 n.
China Busca, Sh. —
Singapore Traction, 23/6 n.
Singapore Prof., 23/6 n.
Industrials
Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. \$14½ n.
Cald: Macg. (Prof.), Sh. \$12½ n.
Canton Ices, \$1.70 n.
Cement, \$17.60/70 sa.
H.K. Ropes \$4.95 n.
Stores, etc.
Dairy Farm, \$25.00 n.
Watsons, \$7 n.
Lane Crawford, \$9½ s.
Sinceres, \$2.10 b.
Wing On (H.K.), \$39 n.
William Powell, Ltd., 60 cts. n.
Cotton Mills
Ewo Cotton, Sh. \$14½ n.
Shai Cotton (old), Sh. \$72 n.
Zeong Sing, Sh. —
Wing On Textiles, Sh. —
Miscellaneous
H.K. Entertainments, \$6.70 n.
Constructions, \$1½ b.
Vibro Piling, \$5½ s.
Ch. Govt. 5% 1925 G.Bds., 68% n.
H.K. Govt. 4% Loan 6% prm. n.
H.K. Govt. 3½% Loan 1½% prm. n.
Wallace Harpers, \$6½ n.
Marsmans Inv., (Lon.), s/- 17/6 n.
Marsmans Inv. (H.K.), s/- 3/10 b.

CHARTERED BANK DIVIDEND

The Hongkong offices of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China has received the following communication from London head office:

"At the annual meeting of shareholders, directors will recommend a final dividend at the rate of 14 per cent. per annum subject to income tax, £35,000 added to pension fund, £40,000 set aside for meet continuing interest on the £175,000."



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MANILA SHARES

The following business done quotations were received after the close of the morning session by Swan, Culbertson & Fritz from their Manila office:

Business Done	Prices in Pone
Antemok	Unquoted
Atok	Unquoted
Baguio Gold	Unquoted
Benque Consolidated	Unquoted
Coco Grove	9.50
Consolidated Mines	Unquoted
Demonstration	Unquoted
12.10	Unquoted
Paracale Guinea	Unquoted
San Mauricio	40%
Suyoc	15%
United Paracale	41%

HARMON TROPHY FOR
PILOT DICK MERRILL

Washington, Mar. 16. On the basis of his round-trip across the Atlantic in connection with the delivery of pictures of the Coronation of Their Majesties the King and Queen of England, Dick Merrill has been awarded the Harmon Trophy for 1937's outstanding flying performance by President F. D. Roosevelt.—United Press.

REPORTS CAR STOLEN

Mrs. C. Withers, of the Royal Artillery Mess, Gun Club Hill, reported to the police yesterday that her motor car, No. 418, was stolen from a car park in Kowloon. It contained a waterproof cover, and was worth \$300.

PICKPOCKET SENTENCED

Three months imprisonment was imposed on Lau So, 53, unemployed, by Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Magistracy this morning for the theft of a fountain pen from Mr. Hyland Lyon, of Arlington Hotel, at Queen's Road Central, yesterday afternoon.

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The SHARE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Society will be CLOSED from 26th MARCH to 13th APRIL, Both Days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,

A. W. HUGHES,

General Manager,
Hongkong, 14th March, 1938.THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY, LTD.

Notice to Shareholders

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SIXTY-NINTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Company will be held at its HEAD OFFICE, Union Building, Hong Kong, on WEDNESDAY, 13th APRIL, 1938, at 11.20 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1937, and of declaring Dividends, etc.

The SHARE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 26th MARCH to 13th APRIL, Both Days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,

A. W. HUGHES,

General Manager,
Hongkong, 14th March, 1938.BRITISH TRADERS' INSURANCE
COMPANY, LTD.

Notice to Shareholders

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SEVENTY-SECOND ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Company will be held at its HEAD OFFICE, Union Building, Hong Kong, on Wednesday, 13th APRIL, 1938, at 11.25 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1937, and of declaring Dividend, etc.

The SHARE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 26th MARCH to 13th APRIL, Both Days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,

A. W. HUGHES,

General Manager,
Hongkong, 14th March, 1938.HONGKONG & WHAMPOA
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Ordinary Yearly Meeting of Shareholders will be held in the Offices of the Company, 2 Queen's Building, Hongkong, on Monday, 28th March, 1938, at Noon for consideration of the Directors' Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1937.

The Share Register and Transfer Book will be closed from 12th to 28th March, 1938, both days inclusive.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF
DIRECTORS,

E. COCK,

Chief Manager,
Hongkong, 3rd March, 1938.THE INDO-CHINA STEAM
NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

The Fifty-seventh Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the Offices of the General Managers, Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., Pedder Street, Hong Kong, on Thursday, 31st March, 1938, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, passing the Accounts, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 24th March to 14th April inclusive.

By order of the Board,

JARDINE, MATHESON &
CO., LTD.General Managers,
Hongkong, 11th March, 1938.HONGKONG & WHAMPOA
DOCK CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an extraordinary general meeting of the above named Company will be held at the offices of the Company No. 2 Queen's Building, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, on the 28th March, 1938, at 12.15 p.m. or as soon thereafter as the annual general meeting convened at the same place on that day at noon shall be concluded for the purpose of considering and if thought fit passing with or without amendment the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:—

"That it is desirable to capitalize the sum of \$507,300.00 being part of the undivided profits of the Company standing to the credit of the Company's reserve fund and accordingly for the purpose of effecting such capitalization in pursuance of article 122 (a) (b) of the Company's Articles of Association a bonus of \$2.50 per share on the issued shares of the Company be and the same is hereby declared and that the Board of Directors be and they are hereby authorised to satisfy such bonus by the distribution amongst the persons who are registered as holders of the present issued shares of the Company on the 28th day of March, 1938, of one of the newly issued shares of the Company credited as fully paid up in respect of every four shares of the Company held by such persons as aforesaid and that such new shares rank par passu with shares already issued as from the 1st day of July, 1938, with regard to dividend and that the Board of Directors issue to shareholders holding a number of shares which is not a multiple of four, a fractional certificate in respect of the odd share or shares held by them and allot one new share to every person who shall produce (with such period as the Board of Directors shall determine) fractional certificates making in the aggregate a total of one share and that fractional certificates shall carry no right to participate in dividends."

Dated this 17th day of March, 1938.

E. COCK,
Chief Manager.

ST. PATRICK'S BALL

FRIDAY—18th March, 1938.
PENINSULA HOTEL

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A BUFFET SUPPER will be served from 11.30 p.m. to 1.30 a.m. Tables may be booked with the Management of the Peninsula Hotel before 7.00 p.m. on the night of the Ball.

Admission to the Ball is by ticket only which is to be presented at the MAIN ENTRANCE to the Hotel.

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Notice to Shareholders.

The Sixty-ninth Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Offices of the undersigned on Tuesday, the 29th March, 1938, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, together with a statement of Accounts for the year ended the 31st December, 1937.

The Share Register and Transfer Books will be closed from the 15th to the 29th March, 1938, both days inclusive.

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 12th MARCH, 1938, to TUESDAY, the 22nd MARCH, 1938, both days inclusive.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
General Managers,
Hongkong, 4th March, 1938.NEW YORK STOCK
EXCHANGESWAN, CULBERTSON &
FRITZ LATEST REPORTS

New York, Mar. 16.

S. C. & F. Dow Jones summary of yesterday's markets:

Prices to-day were lower on a sharply-accelerated market. The tickers were once several minutes behind the prices, while the list was once from 1 to 6 points lower before any support was received. The market then steadied and revived sharply. Prices here were influenced by the persistent selling of British gilt-edged securities in London. Continental Europe dumped holdings of repatriated proceeds, causing Sterling to break. The Street anticipated irregularly on the basis of the British decline and the weakened technical position. Farm equipments showed wide breaks. Railroads touched many new lows for the year, but some later moderately revived. Gold minings sagged, with Dome Mines touching a new low. Curb stocks and Bonds were both lower.

S. C. & F. New York correspondent cables:

Stocks: The market to-day turned weak, as traders sell when the anticipated foreign buying fails to materialize. For a quick trading turn, we would buy active issues like U.S. Rubber, Bethlehem Steel, International Nickel and Anaconda Copper.

Cotton: The spreading of political unrest abroad revived apprehension and retarded business, but no great selling pressure developed.

Wheat: The strength of grain and the weakness of the stock market is viewed in some quarters as an ominous indication of the changed trend in foreign political news. England bought 2,000 tons of Russian wheat, while our export sales totalled 1,000,000 bushels. Japan is reported to be enquiring for Australian freight space.

Corn: The market largely followed the trend of the wheat market:

Rubber: The market was affected, with others, by the action of stocks and by foreign political news. Japan is reported to be a buyer. A moderate business has been done in c.i.f.

Sugar: Prices to-day were firm. There was some scattered nervous covering and new buying, especially on the European political situation.

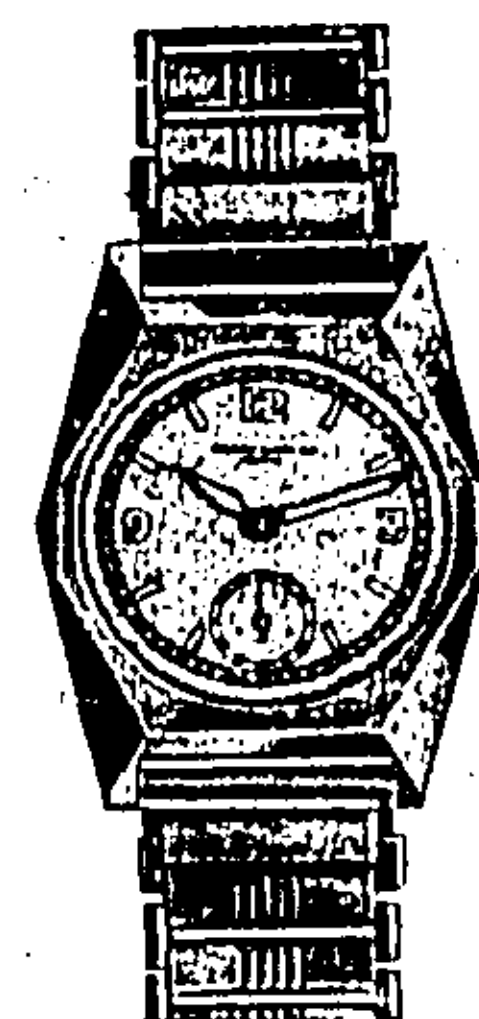
Dow Jones Averages Mar. 16. Close
30 Industrials 127.24 122.87
20 Railroads 35.58 35.11
20 Utilities 19.01 17.81
40 Bonds 85.12 87.51
11 Commodity Index 12.51 12.47

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REPORT

The Hongkong Stock Exchange official summary issued at 12.30 p.m. yesterday, reads:

During the short session, the market was quiet but the undertone was steady. A fair amount of shares changed hands, as there were ready buyers for all that was offered.

Douglases 800	11.15
H.K. Bonds 115%	11.15
Providents (Old) 83.50	83.50
Providents (New) 81.50	81.50
Humphreys 82.50	82.50
H.K. Lands 4% Deb 81.00	81.00
H.K. Realties 83.50	83.50
Chinese Estates 81.50	81.50
H.K. Tramways 115.40	115.40
Peak Tram (Old) 82.50	82.50
Yau Ma Tei 82.50	82.50
China Lights (Old) 81.50	81.50
China Lights (New) 82.50	82.50
Sandak 81.50	81.50
Cement 81.50	81.50
Constructions 81.50	81.50
Hongkong Bank 81.50	81.50
H.K. Fire Insurance 82.50	82.50
H.K. Light 81.50	81.50
Cement 81.50	81.50
Vibro Piling 81.50	81.50
Hongkong Bank 115.40/83	115.40/83
Union Insurance 81.50/70	81.50/70
Providents (Old) 83.50/70	83.50/70
Providents (New) 81.50	81.50
H.K. 2% Deb 81.50	81.50
H.K. Realties 83.50	83.50
H.K. Tramways 115.40/83	115.40/83
China Lights (Old) 81.50/80	81.50/80
Cement 81.50/70	81.50/70
Dairy Farm 81.50/90	81.50/90
Ewo Cottons 81.50/40	81.50/40
Antamok 81.50/40	81.50/40
Atok 81.50/40	81.50/40
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July	9.07/00	8.96/06
Oct.	9.16/10	9.03/04
Dec.	9.16/15	9.03/03
Jan.	9.17/17	9.07/07
Spot		8.99
	New York Rubber	
Mar.	14.20 B	14.09 N
May	14.27/30	14.19 N
July	14.37/39	14.29/30
Sept.	14.50/52	14.37/44
Dec.	14.70/70	14.59/59
Jan.		14.63 N
Sales for the day	—1,740 tons.	
	Chicago Wheat	
May	85 1/2/85 1/2	85 1/2/85 1/2
July	83 1/2/82 1/2	85 1/2/84 1/2
Sept.		85 1/2/85 1/2
Tuesday's Sales:	14,793,000 bushels.	
	Chicago Corn	
May	57 1/2/58	59 1/2/59 1/2
July	59 1/2/59 1/2	60 1/2/61
Sept.		62 1/2/62 1/2
	Winnipeg Wheat	
May	117 1/2/117	119 1/2/119 1/2
July	108 1/2/108 1/2	110 1/2/111
Oct.		93 1/2/93 1/2

POST OFFICE.

INWARD MAILS

From	Per	Due
Australia and Manila	Kitano Maru	March 17
Swatow	Nanning	March 17
Straits, Manila and London	Parcels	March 17
—London date, 3rd February	Agamemnon	March 18
Straits	Bhutan	March 18
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways"		
Direct Service—London date,	Imperial Airways Plane	March 18
10th March	Kaiser-i-Hind	March 18
Japan and Shanghai	Shirata	March 18
Calcutta and Straits	Tsinan	March 18
Shanghai and Swatow		

OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time
Thursday		
Shanghai, *Japan, Canada, U.S.A.	Empress of Russia	Thurs., Mar. 17.
*Central and South America and	Parcels,	Mar. 17, 4 p.m.
*Europe via Vancouver B.C.	Reg.,	Mar. 17, 5 p.m.
(Parcels for Canada only)—due	Ord.,	Mar. 17, 5.30 p.m.
Vancouver B.C., 4th April.		
Air Mail for Siam, Lanchow, and	Eurasia Plane	Thurs., Mar. 17.
Chengtu etc. (via Hankow) by	G.P.O. and K.F.O.	
the "Eurasia Airways Service"	Reg.,	Mar. 17, 4.30 p.m.
(To further points by surface	Ord.,	Mar. 17, 5 p.m.
transport as Services permit).		
Japan and *Europe via Siberia	Kitano Maru	Thurs., Mar. 17, 5 p.m.
Sandakan	Hinsang	Thurs., Mar. 17, 5 p.m.
Friday		
Samshui and Wuchow	Chung On	Fri., Mar. 18, 8.15 a.m.
Air Mail for Siam, Lanchow, and	Eurasia Plane	Fri., Mar. 18.
Chengtu, etc. (via Hankow) by	G.P.O. and K.F.O.	
the "Eurasia Airways Service"	Reg.,	Mar. 18, 9 a.m.
(To further points by surface	Ord.,	Mar. 18, 9.30 a.m.
transport as Services permit.).		
Kongmoon	On Lee	Fri., Mar. 18, 10 a.m.
Amoy and Foochow (via Amoy)	Tiladane	Fri., Mar. 18, 10.30 a.m.
*Straits and Calcutta	Sulung	Fri., Mar. 18.
	Parcels	Mar. 18, 11 a.m.
Shanghai	Ord.,	Mar. 18, Noon
Swatow and Shanghai	Glenarry	Fri., Mar. 18, 2 p.m.
Air Mail for Wuchow, Kweilin,	Fooshing	Fri., Mar. 18, 2.30 p.m.
Kweiyang and Chungking by the	C.N.A.C. Plane	Fri., Mar. 18.
"C.N.A.C." Airways Direct Ser-	K. F. O.	
vice	Reg.,	Fri., Mar. 18, 5 p.m.
	Ord.,	Fri., Mar. 18, 5 p.m.
	G. F. O.	
	Reg.,	Fri., Mar. 18, 5 p.m.
	Ord.,	Sat., Mar. 19, 6 a.m.
Straits, Sandakan, Ceylon, India, E.	Kaiser-i-Hind	Fri., Mar. 18.
and S. Africa, Aden, Egypt and	G.P.O. and K.F.O.	
*Europe via Marseilles—due Mar-	Parcels,	Mar. 18, 5 p.m.
seilles, 18th April.	Reg.,	Mar. 19, 9.45 a.m.
	Ord.,	Mar. 19, 10.30 a.m.
Saturday		
Samshui and Wuchow	Kongming	Sat., Mar. 19, 8.15 a.m.
Air Mail for "E.L.M. Airways Ser-	Kaiser-i-Hind	Sat., Mar. 19.
vice"—due Amsterdam, 27th	G.P.O. and K.F.O.	
March.	Reg.,	Mar. 19, 9.30 a.m.
Kongmoon	Ord.,	Mar. 19, 10 a.m.
Tientsin	Fook On	Sat., Mar. 19, 10 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Prominent	Sat., Mar. 19, 10.30 a.m.
	Haitian	Sat., Mar. 19, 11 a.m.

JAPANESE RAID HANKOW

But No Damage Done To Airfield
Foreigners Now Known Safe

Hankow, Mar. 17.
Six Japanese planes made a third successive moonlight raid on Hankow last night, and it is estimated, they dropped 50 bombs on the air field. However, they hit nothing, since neither the nor smoke was visible. Searchlights again proved amazingly effective. They immediately picked up the raiders, who flew over the centre of the city, causing a hurried evacuation of curious sightseers from the roof-tops.
The departing raiders vented their spleen on the search lights, circling around twice and unsuccessfully bombing one powerful light at Wuchang.—United Press.

Medical Workers Safe

Hankow, Mar. 17.
Dr. Bethune, the famous Montreal surgeon, and Miss Jane Ewen, a nurse, both of whom are in China to give medical aid to Chinese soldiers, are safe and well at Hankow, according to reports received in Hankow. The doctor and nurse were reported missing some days ago after they had left Hankow for the North China front.—United Press.

General Teng To Be Szechuen C-in-C.

Chungking, Mar. 17.
General Teng Hsi-hou, whom the Central Government appointed Tranquillisation Commissioner for Szechuen and Sikiang, has been urged to assume the position of Commander-in-Chief before the end of the week, thus fulfilling the Szechuen army commanders' aspiration that one of their own colleagues should succeed General Liu Hsiang, who died from natural causes on January 20.

General Chang Chun, who was recently named Szechuen chairman, is still in Hankow, and it is not decided when he will go to Chengtu, if at all. A local report says that a regulation has been passed that passengers to Hongkong will not be permitted to carry over \$500, while the banks will only credit the transfer of currency, and its export is prohibited.—United Press.

Chang Haueh-liang Murder Denied

Hankow, Mar. 17.
The report that General Chang Haueh-liang had been assassinated is groundless. He is in the Hengshan Mountain studying the classics.—United Press.

Smart Work By Chinese Searchlights

Hankow, March 17.
Hankow was treated to another pyrotechnic display last night when six Japanese bombers paid a further visit to the city, and dropped about 30 bombs on the aerodrome.
As was the case on March 15, powerful searchlights picked out the raiders long before they arrived over Hankow, and kept them in beam until they were out of sight.
The anti-aircraft batteries, however, did not go into action in order to leave the skies open for Chinese pursuit planes to engage the enemy. Before their departure, the Japanese planes fired with machine guns in the direction of the searchlights.—Reuter.

Japanese Severely Bomb Lini

Lini, Shantung, Mar. 17.
Japanese planes severely bombed Lini city in south Shantung yesterday, releasing tons of explosives.
It is stated that no fewer than 100 civilians were killed and 1,000 houses destroyed.
A bomb hit the Catholic Church inside the city.
Meanwhile, the Chinese counter-offensive on the Lini front made much headway yesterday. Several points, including Hunsfowling, were recaptured and the 300 enemy troops at Tingtzeou were encircled and annihilated.—Central News.

Will Not Talk Of Germany's Colony Claims

London, Mar. 16.
The Prime Minister was asked in the House of Commons whether, in view of the Anglo-Italian conversations, it was still the opinion of the Government that the colonial question was not one that could be considered in isolation, as a number of other countries would be involved.
Mr. Chamberlain said he did not anticipate the Anglo-Italian conversations would be concerned with that subject. The Government had not altered its view as expressed in the Anglo-French communique issued last November that the whole question was not one which could be considered in isolation, and moreover, that it involved other countries.
To a supplementary question whether German annexation of Austria prejudged discussions on this question, the Premier replied: "It is obvious that the present circumstances do not make it possible to discuss the question of German annexation of Austria in isolation."

HALIFAX DEMANDS UNITED SUPPORT

Foreign Policy Must Have Backing Of Whole Empire

London, Mar. 16.
The British policy in the face of the Nazi Austrian coup was outlined by Viscount Halifax in the House of Lords to-day, when replying for the Government to the debate on foreign affairs.

He said that, firstly, they must seek to conduct their foreign policy that it may deserve the command the support of a united people and a united Empire. Secondly, while relaxing no exertion in pursuit of real peace, it must be their purpose to re-assert the claims of international law as opposed to the exercise of force in the settlement of international disputes. Next they must do everything to bring about means to be devised, whether through the machinery of the League of Nations or on lines harmonising with League principles, to direct the minds of the nations as much for the removal of injustice, as for the maintenance of peace. Lastly, Britain must show herself to be prepared, not only materially, but in a spirit of determination, to discipline its people.—Reuter.

KING AND QUEEN VISIT LONDON'S HOUSING ESTATES

London, Mar. 16.
The King and Queen paid a surprise visit to the new housing estates in South London to-day, where new flats have been erected in place of slums.
At Plough Road, Stepney, Their Majesties inspected one of the four-room flats whose tenant told them that he was only paying 12/4d. a week rent.

The Royal visitors then drove to Lambeth. The news of their visit preceded them, and the streets were lined with cheering crowds.—Reuter Bulletin.

GOLD PRICE FIRMS UP SUDDENLY

London, Mar. 16.
Coincident with the accentuated weakness of the stock markets, there sprang up in London to-day considerable demand for gold. Under the influence of Continental buying, the price of the metal jumped to 140 shillings per ounce compared with 139½ shillings at the fixing.
Owing to the firmness of the dollar it is believed that some gold was also taken for possible shipment to America, although, with no fast liner sailing within the next few days it is pointed out that such shipments might be forestalled by reaction of the dollar.—Reuter.

STOCK EXCHANGE SEATS SOLD FOR \$82,000 EACH

New York, Mar. 16.
Two Stock Exchange memberships were sold to-day for \$82,000 each and a third for \$80,000, but none of them belonged to the Whitney firm, which failed recently.—United Press.

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STUDYING AUSTRIAN FINANCE

Vienna, Mar. 16.
Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, former Minister of Economics in Germany, and now President of the Reichsbank, arrived in Vienna to-day where he is investigating the financial situation of the country.
The national banks of Germany and Austria have decreed the exchange of the two national currencies at 50 marks for 100 Austrian schillings.
The sale of timber to foreign countries, which is one of the chief industries of Austria, has been stopped.—Reuter Bulletin.

WON'T WORK IN ASAMA MARU

After six months of strenuous salvage work to release her from where she had gone aground during the September 2 typhoon, the N.Y.K. luxury liner is once more stranded, this time in a busy dockyard.
At the end of last week the steamer was refloated from Salwan Bay and was taken to Takoo Docks for repairs. But, up to to-day, she is still untouched by workmen, they having displayed unwillingness to work in the ship.
Dock officials are doing their best to reach a settlement with those concerned. Other work in the Dockyard is in no way affected.

UNCLAIMED TELEGRAMS

The following unclaimed telegrams are lying at the Great Northern Telegraph Co. Ltd. offices, addressed to: Samshus Gloucester; Durst Hongkong Hotel; Sear's Amexco; Ling Wai Ting Kowloon Hotel; Tsui 72 Wanchai Road; Hsu Yick Ching 40 Electric Road 2nd Fl.; Sun Ki Cheong 4 Tso-koo Terrace Calne Road; Toong Chong Yi Sun Wah Boarding House; 0422; 1151; 4717; 0500; 0660; 7288.

KILLED IN FALL OFF LORRY

A fatal accident occurred on a motor lorry in Kennedy Town yesterday when a coolie, Cheung Chi, who was sitting on top of a load of vegetables together with several others, fell into Catchick Street. He was conveyed to the Queen Mary Hospital where he died in the afternoon.

HONGKONG "ENEMIES" MOBILISE

Official Communique Issued

The following Press communique was issued to-day in connection with the combined operations now at hand:

"Reliable information has been received that, a partial mobilisation was ordered by Pacifica on March 17. The King of Hongkong has, in consequence, declared a precautionary period which commenced at 10 a.m. on March 17.
"Orders have simultaneously been issued for the recall of the Expeditionary Force from So Far.
"Even at this eleventh hour it is to be hoped that war may be averted.
"Diplomatic channels are still working to this end and an amicable settlement may yet be arranged to the satisfaction of both nations.
"As the danger of war approaches, so does the desire of King No Kum Yu to avoid war increase.
"The time necessary for Pacifica's mobilisation is well known: no land or sea forces can reach the shores of Hongkong before March 19.
"With the thought of peace foremost in his mind and now anxious to avoid any premature action that might unduly aggravate the situation the King has ordered that no movements of his troops in Hongkong shall take place (save those normally required of them by their peace time duties) until further orders.
"With his customary care and forethought for his subjects the King has also decreed that the Volunteers shall not yet mobilise.
"The trade of Hongkong will not therefore suffer unless events take a more serious turn."

BLANK AMMUNITION

The Telegraph has been informed this morning that during the forthcoming combined operations between March 18 and 22, heavy gun and small arms fire will be with blank ammunition.

SHIPS IN WIRELESS COMMUNICATION

The following ships are expected to be in wireless communication with the Radio station—Scheer, Anshun, Kildersport, Minsu Maru, Pingwo, Kishari-I-kind, President Jefferson, Sagoland, Saigon Maru, Yatsing, Shirala, Hongpeng, Arammonon, Kitanu Maru, Nanning and Canton.

DECLARES SPAIN PROMISED TO ITALY

Attlee Says British Interests Menaced

But Chamberlain Not Impressed

London, Mar. 16.
Mr. Clement Attlee, Leader of the Labour Opposition, moved the adjournment in the House of Commons to-day in order to bring attention to the "lack of ministerial policy to counter the grave menace to British interests arising from armed intervention in Spain."

He declared that Signor Benito Mussolini and Herr Adolf Hitler had come to an agreement whereby the former should have Spain and the latter Central Europe.

Mr. Neville Chamberlain, in reply, declared there was no definite evidence of a great accession of munitions and forces for General Franco. The British Government did not believe that success for General Franco would mean that Spain would pass into the domination of Italy and Germany, and the Government would continue to maintain its policy of non-intervention.—Reuter.

ADJOURNMENT MOTION IS DEFEATED

London, Mar. 16.
The Labour Opposition motion to adjourn the House of Commons was defeated by 317 to 141.—Reuter.

INDECENT PEEP SHOW SEIZED

For exposing indecent pictures to the public at Hillier Street, Yeung Kwok, 23, unemployed, was fined \$25 or, in default, three weeks' imprisonment, by Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Magistracy this morning.
Inspector J. Fender, prosecuting, said that Sergeant H. Brown came upon defendant while on his beat. Defendant had a box, with four peepholes, and charged one cent for showing four pictures.
The pictures and the box were ordered to be destroyed.

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UNQUIET ON THE
EASTERN FRONT

The incident on the Polish-Lithuanian border which is disturbing Europe is nothing more than another example of the ill-feeling which has existed between the two states since the Great War and the alteration of Europe's boundaries which followed that catastrophe. At ordinary times it would have no great significance, but with the tension in Europe so great any spark must be watched lest it start a spreading fire.

To understand the Polish-Lithuanian dispute it is necessary to go back a few years and recall that Poland thrust her frontier out to embrace Vilna following the creation of Lithuania by Germany. In December, 1920, after the Russo-Polish war of that year, Poland won considerable territory from White Russia and the Ukraine. But she was not satisfied and raided Lithuania and seized Vilna, thus driving a wedge between Lithuania and Russia. The Lithuanians have never acquiesced to this particular piece of brigandage and retaliated by closing the River Niemen and the port of Memel to the Poles. This dispute the League of Nations has constantly tried to solve, but without success and there have been frontier disturbances from time to time which have kept Eastern Europe on edge.

There is an unpopular belief in some quarters that Germany would not object to Poland's adventuring across the Lithuanian border and annexing Memel, but it is improbable that Poland would venture to this enterprise alone since Russia has given notice that she will defend Lithuania against further attack.

The ports of Reval (or Tallinn) in Estonia and Riga in Latvia, two states which were given their independence by the treaty of Brest-Litovsk, are still the sea outlets and gateheads of very considerable areas of western Russia. Reval is joined to Leningrad by rail; Riga links

An Article for people who
CAN'T SLEEPBy
HAMISH FRASER

HAVE you ever thought seriously about sleep, what a queer, unequal, mysterious thing it is?

Why can one man count surely on falling asleep within two minutes of touching the pillow, while another must let the minutes tick by with torturing slowness into hours?

To reckon one person in a hundred suffers from insomnia is probably an under-estimate. If I were paid a penny by all the bad sleepers in England to hand over the secret of sound sleep—and plenty of them would gladly enough pay £1,000 or more—I should not a small fortune. Unfortunately it can't be done. Sleep is one of the most baffling, mysterious phases of our life on this earth.

Let's take a look for a moment at some cases on record.

In Indiana in 1898 a certain David Jones, as a result of being put on jury service, suffered 93 nights' insomnia one year and 131 in the next.

There is another instance of a man who was such a victim of insomnia that he used to take out horses and gallop through the night in an effort to tire himself and thus induce sleep. The result was that he wore out three horses a night and himself went sleepless for 15 days.

Dozed on his Horse

ONE investigator, in the cause of medical science, voluntarily tried to do without sleep. He could keep

up with Pskov, in Russia, and the railway to Leningrad, and also with Moscow and Smolensk. It is natural that Russia would have considerable interest in these ports, and that their independence of Germany or Poland is the next best thing to actual Russian ownership, as far as Moscow is concerned.

It will thus be seen that the preservation of the integrity of Czechoslovakia is not the only thing which would draw Russia into conflict. How France would react to the invasion of Lithuania, or Latvia, or Estonia, is doubtful. But with things as they are any Polish enterprise in the direction of Memel might easily start a conflagration.

awake only for five days, and suffered no after-effects beyond a slight squint and decreased mental capacity which lasted a fortnight.

Doctors have put up several notable records. One went 18 days without lying down during a malaria epidemic. He used to doze on his horse between visits.

At the other extreme are excessive sleepers. Pavlov discusses a case in which sleep continued uninterrupted for 20 years except for slight restlessness at night, during which the patient used to get out of bed and write.

The famous sleeping beauty of Chicago was in a different category. She suffered from encephalitis lethargica, and her brain cells were seriously injured.

I knew a doctor one of whose women patients no drug seemed to relieve. He began with bromide, then aspirin and sedatives related to it, next simple barbiturates, and grander ones whose formula went something like phenyl-diethyl-p-amino-isobutyl, and so on, proved a failure, until there was at last nothing left but to send for a Grand Old Man from Harley-street.

And the Grand Old Man came and gravely pronounced that in his view a simple pill of rhubarb would be best. It was. It wasn't "nerves" the patient suffered from, but a slightly disordered digestion.

Of course, everybody knows that when, when, and how you eat has a lot to do with sleep. But you can't make a rule. Some folk will snore away quite happily after an 11 p.m. snack of lobster, cold Christmas pudding, Welsh rarebit, and black coffee. Others can't be too careful what they have for tea.

Some people are specially sensitive to the terrestrial magnetic field, and find they can sleep only if they lie with their heads along that field, with the head

This sounds fantastic but appears an indubitable fact, and if all other means fail it is worth turning your bed on successive nights to a different point of the compass to test your own reactions.

And so I'm afraid it goes on with most of the sage advice that can be given as regards high or low pillows, light or heavy bed-clothes, ventilation, a walk before retiring, reading in bed, and anything else.

Electric Brain-Waves

WORRY, powerful though it is to hold back sleep, does not affect all similarly. There are women who lie sleepless on account of no greater problem than next week's bridge-party, while on the other hand, men on the brink of financial ruin may slumber like peaceful babes.

Let's try to make scientific sense of all this. Physiologists believe that sleep is essentially

OXFORD WOMEN
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KEITH BRIANTauthor of "Oxford Limited,"
and former Editor of "Isis"

I AM asked "What are Oxford women really like? Are they a set of blue-stockings with their noses glued to the grindstone, or are they flighty young misses for ever powdering their noses and gossiping about their latest conquests?"

Those pioneers who overcame male opposition to the intrusion of the female into Oxford—for centuries a male preserve—would be amazed at the variety of subjects which the modern girl is covering in the university to-day.

With regard, for instance, to my own subject—Law—women certainly do not lack enterprise. I can well remember a lecture I attended in my second year. The lecturer was demonstrating a rather delicate point in the study of Criminal Law.

Both Were Women

SO as not to offend the women present by plan speaking, he offered to explain the point in greater detail to anyone who might care to call on him after the lecture. Only two did call, and, to his horror, both were women!

It is no exaggeration to say that the woman science student has to be hard boiled. She is called on to perform tasks at which her grandmother would have fainted—and she performs them well. There is no room for false modesty in a science school.

I knew a girl who was reading Zoology, and she confided in me that the work was by no means easy and was often unpleasant.

"I work three days a week from 9 a.m. till 3 or 4 p.m. with an hour's break for luncheon," she said. "The other three days we do not start till 10 or 11 a.m. Apart from an hour's lecture, the whole time is spent on dissection."

Admirable

"WHAT sort of things do you have to dissect?" I asked.

"In elementary Zoology we have the frog, rabbit, and dogfish as the three main types. I shall never forget how horrified I was at finding my rabbit still warm from the chloroform chamber; while I couldn't get the smell of the dogfish off my hands for a week."

"But the subject is so fascinating that you soon learn to forget minor inconveniences. You learn to think solely of the job in hand."

In view of the fact that in the Zoology and Medical schools the young women have to dissect alongside the men and under the supervision of male demonstrators, such an attitude is admirable. And it is new.

This is not just Woman—the eternal feminine, giving herself a coat of mental varnish. The modern young woman at Oxford is as efficient, as practical, as cold-blooded—when she wants to be—as a machine.

In the Physics and Chemistry schools she takes equal risks with men in practical experiments and analyses, and in both cases she is as neat fingered and as competent as any man.

an "inhibition"—that is, a state of general standstill in the brain.

Something cries "Halt!" and all except the most vital services are suspended.

Whether this ban on unnecessary business is caused by the spread of a brain hormone, or is imposed by a special "sleep centre" which comes into action at night and keeps watch that the Rest Rule is enforced is not yet certain.

But we hope soon to be able to record the electric brain-waves which will give us the clue.

What a first-class nurse does to help a patient to sleep will provide a few hints for bad sleepers to copy.

She doesn't go first to the drug cupboard. She speaks a gentle word or two to the patient, asks if he has pain, reassures him that, of course, he's going to sleep.

She sees that he's not half on and half off his pillow, that his feet are not cold, and that he has enough blankets on his bed.

At the Botany and Geography schools she must spend one or two days a week tramping the lanes, observing the flora and the nature of the countryside—and she must not get tired.

Only in five subjects were women not competing with men last year. These were Geology, Engineering, Agriculture, Russian and Oriental languages.

It is essential that woman should prove her worth if she is to overcome the remaining shreds of male opposition to her presence in the university. Incredible though it may seem, not so long ago a certain lecturer refused to admit women to his lectures.

He Walked Out

THE story is told of lecturer Mr. X, who made a point of saying "Good-morning, gentlemen," completely ignoring the presence of the women students.

One day the men conspired to stay away from the next lecture, so that Mr. X would have to acknowledge the women. Unfortunately, one undergraduate did not hear of this. Mr. X arrived, said "Good morning, gentlemen," to the young man and proceeded with his lecture.

Next morning there were no men present. Amid an expectant hush Mr. X walked in, surveyed the scene, remarked, "Ah! I see there is no one for the lecture to-day," and walked out again!

As each year passes, however, the rules governing the women's colleges are being relaxed, and women are joining more and more in the social life of the university.

At sherry parties, on the river, at club meetings, and at dances, the Oxford girl proves that she can be as charming and as decorative as her less studious sister. And she has not so much time to spend on her appearance.

Beat the Men

IN the world of sport, the women's colleges play matches against the men in tennis and hockey, and often beat them.

But, you will ask, "What type of jobs do these Oxford women take on going down? Do they concentrate on secretarial, teaching, and commercial work, or are they taking up more specialised jobs?"

Many are now taking up such diverse posts as factory and labour management, hospital almoner, house property management, advertising, dietetics, and psychiatry.

The head of a big advertising firm recently told me that he found young women excellent copywriters, and that two of the ablest in his firm were from Oxford.

In scientific research women have already proved their worth. In the Civil Service examination last year, out of 47 places women took seven. Twenty-four per cent. of women were successful and only 15 per cent. of men. Of these seven women, two were from Oxford, and the first place for women was taken by an Oxford woman.

Common Sense

NOR have Oxford women that exaggerated opinion of their own importance which is often so fatal to Oxford men graduates. Many Oxford women go straight into big West End stores and start behind the counter—and this policy pays. Three Oxford women I know of are earning £1,000 a year in a big London store.

For her breadth of vision, her common sense, and her zest, I take off my hat to the Oxford woman to-day. There is no need to wish her luck.

Stroking the Temples

THEN she asks if he feels thirsty, and probably persuades him to take a hot drink. Sometimes a few lazy puffs at a cigarette bring about the essential lessening of nervous tension, sometimes she completes the task by gently stroking his temples.

The monotony of the strokes has a similar effect to the counting of jumping sheep.

I think, however, that sheep are too complex to imagine, too solid. Try instead inducing a profound relaxation of every limb and then count your breaths.

Say: "By the time I have taken 50 breaths I shall be asleep. One, two—how I'm starting—three, four, five—slipping farther..." and so on.

Long before you get to 50 you will be imagining all sorts of ridiculous and unconnected things, and that means you are well on the "down" escalator to sleep.

